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MRS. MANLEY IS FREED BY JURY ON FIRST BALLOT

Spiritualistic Medium Said She
Fired When Man Raised Her
Window From Outside.

SHOT TO FRIGHTEN HIM

She Believed Him to Be a Bur-
glar, She Said—Evidence in
Case Circumstantial.

Mrs. Anna B. Manley, a spiritualistic medium, was acquitted this afternoon on the first ballot by the jury which heard the testimony in her trial on the charge of murder in the second degree in the killing of Peter MacGuire at her home, 3421 Lucas avenue, on the night of March 23.

The case went to the jury at 1 o'clock. Half an hour was occupied at lunch and the jury retired at 1:30. As soon as court resumed at 2 o'clock the verdict was brought in.

When the verdict was read a number of women surrounded Mrs. Manley and congratulated her and she left the courtroom with them. The only comment she made was that she was sure all along that she would be acquitted.

Attorney Charles F. Johnson, in his argument to the jury, said the evidence was all circumstantial. He insisted that no motive had been shown and that the woman's explanation of how she fired out of the window accounted for the absence of powder smell in the room and also accounted for the fact that the man was shot in the back. He said, also, that the State had not even shown that the woman and man were acquainted.

Assistant Circuit Attorney Moore, in his address to the jury, admitted that no motive had been shown. The only persons, he said, who knew what the motive was, were the dead man and the woman. The dead man could not tell and the woman would not, he said.

Mrs. Manley on the witness stand in the morning gave her version of the shooting.

"There was a meeting of the church at my house that night," she said, "and when the people left I started to go to bed at about 11 o'clock. A woman who had been at the meeting and had forgotten a package returned for it at about 11:20 o'clock. After she left I went to bed.

"In a little while I heard a noise at the bay window of my room, and saw a man crouching on the wire fence outside. I was so frightened that I could not move or cry out. He went to the window of Mrs. Ida Lowden's room and tried to open it. Then he returned to my window and raised it. Only his face showed above the window sill. I reached through the window and fired. I did not intend to kill the man, but fired to summon assistance.

"Mrs. Lowden and others came to my room and I told them I had fired to frighten away a burglar. I had never before seen the man whose body was found on the lawn. The police took me to the morgue and tried to get me to identify it, but I could not. My house had been robbed twice and for no reason I kept a revolver under my pillow."

Mrs. Lowden testified yesterday afternoon that when she entered the house at 11 o'clock Mrs. Manley was talking at the front door to a young man who had attended some of the seances. Ten or 15 minutes after she went to bed she heard the shot. She found finger prints on the window sill of her room and an upturned bucket on the ground beneath the window.

Scheffer Charges Point in Story.
John Scheffer, who slept in the basement, told of hearing the shot and a scream and of going up through a trap door. Mrs. Manley told him she had shot a burglar. He found the body on the lawn.

At the inquest Scheffer said he was a nephew of Mrs. Manley. Today he derided relationship. He called her aunt, he said, because her name was Anna. He said he had made the trap door leading from the basement to the first floor and that he was in the basement during the seance conducted that night by Mrs. Manley.

The presence of the trap door in the Manley residence did not figure in the testimony at the coroner's inquest, or in the police investigation of the killing, the officials having accepted the trap door as part of the machinery provided for the sudden appearances and disappearances of "spirits."

Lieut. Walsh of the Dayton Street Police District testified that MacGuire was known as a thief. The case will go to the jury this afternoon.

American Plant to Make Dyes.
JOLIET, Ill., Nov. 17.—Ground was broken here yesterday by the Illinois Steel Co. for an \$800,000 building to be operated in connection with the coke oven and by-product department of the corporation. An effort will be made to replace the supply of dyes, mostly German, cut off by the war.

The popular investment—the double flat—in any part of town you may choose to live in, among the Home offices in the Post-Dispatch real estate columns.

RAIN TONIGHT; TOMORROW, COLDER WEATHER COMING

THE TEMPERATURES.
At 8 a. m. 43 10 a. m. 49
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SUSIE'S STRING- ING STRINGBEANS FOR SERVICEMEN'S SOLDIERS

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Rain tonight and tomorrow; warmer tonight; much colder tomorrow afternoon; fresh, strong shifting winds.

Missouri—Threatening, with rain tonight and probably in east portion tomorrow; warmer in extreme east and colder in west portion tonight; much colder tomorrow.

Illinois—Rain tonight and tomorrow; warmer in south and central portions tonight; colder tomorrow afternoon.

T. R. SAID TO HAVE WANTED TO TAKE 12,000 MEN TO FLANDERS

Declared to Have Begun Organizing
New Rough Rider Force When
Lusitania Was Sunk.

LONDON, Nov. 17.—Sydney Brooks, in a cable to the Daily Mail from New York, tells of an interview with Theodore Roosevelt, who he says has been so vehement on any subject as he is on the inaction of the United States in the present war.

"As a matter of fact," he says, "the ex-President feels so acutely the figure of the country has cut in the war that he doubts whether he could ever again endure to visit Europe. When the Lusitania was sunk and American intervention seemed inevitable, it is an open secret that the ex-President made instant preparations for raising a force of 12,000 on lines of his old Rough Rider element. The Generals, Colonels, Majors and some of the Captains were actually selected.

"Every detail had been covered and the ex-President calculated that within three months after the declaration of war he and his men would be in Flanders. To forego that dream has been one of the bitterest disappointments of his life."

FRANCE CANNOT GET 9,000,000 HAND GRENADE SHELLS IN U. S.

Pittsburg Firms Turn Down Orders as
They Are Too Busy to Experiment

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Nov. 17.—Agents of the French Government have been trying for several days to place an order here for 9,000,000 hand grenades, but it was said by steel men today that they have met with little success. Only the shells were wanted, as they were to be loaded in France, but manufacturers who have never made that sort of thing did not care to experiment.

More foreign agents are now in the Pittsburgh district trying to buy steel products than at any previous time. They include men who are buying materials for Australia, the Belgian Congo and the Union of South Africa.

Shipments to China have been unusually large the last few weeks.

WIRELESS TO SOUTH AMERICA

Communication Between New York
and Buenos Aires to Be Established

BUENOS AIRES, Nov. 17.—It was announced today that the Government had authorized the Federal Holdings Co. of New York to establish in Buenos Aires a wireless telegraph station to communicate with a similar station in New York.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Chauncey Eldridge, president of the Federal Holdings Co., announced Monday that the company had obtained a concession for the erection of a high power wireless station at Buenos Aires. He said that within a year there would be direct communication with Buenos Aires from here.

SIX MORE BUYING DAYS BEFORE Turkey Day

Turn the pages of the Post-Dispatch and study the artistically displayed "quality" advertisements. They will be found interesting and profitable.

Yesterday, Tuesday, the St. Louis merchants spread a bountiful feast of Pre-Thanksgiving store news in the Post-Dispatch, realizing that there are but 6 more selling days before "Turkey Day."

Post-Dispatch carried alone, 93 cols.

Its three nearest competitors, 71 cols.

all added together, only 22 cols.

Post-Dispatch exceeded all three combined

Why? Quality and Quantity

Circulation Sunday 362,522

Daily average last week 204,887

PUBLIC HEARING ON CUNLIFF'S LINDELL ENTRANCE CHANGE

Park Commissioner Says Plans
Will Wait on Consideration
Before Service Board.

OPPOSITION EXPRESSED

New Park Entrance Plan Called
Artistically Incorrect; Doubt-
ing of Hazard Feared.

Park Commissioner Cunliff told a Post-Dispatch reporter today that his design for a new Lindell entrance to Forest Park, the details of which were printed in last Sunday's Post-Dispatch, would not be carried further until a public hearing had been held before the Board of Public Service. A date for this hearing, he said, would be announced later, after he had consulted with the board about it.

Commissioner Cunliff, in announcing his park entrance plans last week, gave out the idea that his design, which was secretly drawn, had been formally approved by the board and that all that remained to be done was to begin the work of constructing the new entrance, without further public consideration.

When asked his reason for the decision to hold a public hearing, Commissioner Cunliff said that the Municipal Art Commission had requested that the plan be presented for its approval or disapproval, and that he had heard of a large number of individual complaints against it.

Art Commission to See Plan.
"I have decided to do nothing further until a public hearing is conducted before the Board of Public Service and until my design is submitted to the Municipal Art Commission, which meets tomorrow at the City Hall, and to the City Plan Commission, which will meet next Tuesday," Commissioner Cunliff said.

The Park Commissioner said he had not consulted with the Board of Public Service regarding the holding of such a hearing. He was confident, however, that the Board would agree to hold a public hearing, at which he would be present to sit with the Board.

The Commissioner was asked if his park entrance plan had been approved by the Board of Public Service, as he had announced last week. He said a committee of the Board met last Thursday, and after inspecting the plans, told him that they would approve the plan as a general proposition and that there was no question but that it would be formally approved at a board meeting. President Kinsey, of the board, was not at the committee meeting.

President Kinsey was not at his office this morning, but William T. Findly, secretary of the board, said Cunliff's design had not been approved formally.

Comptroller's Position.
Last week, when the new plan was announced, Commissioner Cunliff said that distance to be covered is 450 miles. It is desired to test to the utmost the ability of the filers to follow a previously designated route over unknown country; it will give an opportunity to try the air transport system under stipulated conditions, since trucks following the aeroplanes will be forced to make an average of 80 miles a day on land; it will test the power of the motors to stand up under service conditions and the resourcefulness and adaptability of the army flying organization, particularly its supply department.

Truck for Each Aeroplane.
To each aeroplane will be assigned one truck as tender, carrying the crew, tools, spare parts and other supplies. A specially developed machine shop truck, carrying a lathe and forge, will be along to maintain the squadron on the way. For minor repairs to aeroplanes forced to land through motor trouble, a corps of six motor cycles carrying emergency repairs, and all capable of great speed, will be depended upon.

The First Aero Squadron, Signal Corps, U. S. A., is the official designation of the flying unit. The officers are: Capt. B. D. Foulis, commanding, and Lieuts. T. D. Milling, C. G. Chapman, J. E. Carberry, T. S. Bowen and L. A. Rader. Capt. Foulis is the oldest military flyer in the United States in point of service.

As the First Aero Squadron is for service with field troops, it must be separated from the Army Aviation School at San Diego, Cal., where opportunities for preliminary training of aviators are excellent, but where no large bodies of troops are available for reconnaissance work, observation of artillery fire and many other important duties demanded of the military flyer today.

Why Fort Sill Was Chosen.
Fort Sill was chosen as a temporary station for the squadron because of the opportunity for work in co-operation with the artillery arm. The School of Fire, for training artillery officers in the conduct of fire and in the difficult art of super-vising a battery under war conditions, is held every fall at Fort Sill.

The invention of an automatic survey camera has occupied much of the time of the aviators. This apparatus, when set in operation by the pilot of the aeroplane in which it is installed, takes a continuous series of photographs of the ground underneath the line of flight. The photograph can be made ready instantly on landing and gives a connected group of overlapping pictures to which a scale can be applied and from which the range to any point shown on them can be at once obtained.

Austrian Archduchess Who Will Wed Untitled Doctor Whom She Met While Nursing Wounded



ARCHDUCHESS ISABELLA MARIE...

ARMY FLYING UNIT TO START ON LONG TRIP TOMORROW

First Aero Squadron Will Leave
Fort Sill, Ok., for New Sta-
tion at San Antonio.

FORT SILL, Ok., Nov. 17.—Fort Sill was bustling with activity today in preparation for the departure of the First Aero Squadron of the United States Army, which tomorrow morning will fly from its temporary home here to its new station at San Antonio, Tex. Six aeroplanes will make the journey, the first of its kind in this country.

The aerial journey will be made under conditions as nearly like those encountered in actual wartime as possible. The distance to be covered is 450 miles. It is desired to test to the utmost the ability of the filers to follow a previously designated route over unknown country; it will give an opportunity to try the air transport system under stipulated conditions, since trucks following the aeroplanes will be forced to make an average of 80 miles a day on land; it will test the power of the motors to stand up under service conditions and the resourcefulness and adaptability of the army flying organization, particularly its supply department.

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COTTON INTENDED FOR USE OF ALLIES STRANGELY BURNED

1000 Bales Destroyed in Un-
heated Building—Even Power
Had Been Turned Off.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 17.—One thousand bales of cotton in the East Providence warehouse of the River Spinning Co. were destroyed by fire today. The company, it was stated, had contracted to supply the allies with a specially prepared product to be used in the preparation of gunnison.

The origin of the fire is undetermined. It was said that there was no heat in the four-story brick structure where the cotton was stored and that the lighting power had been turned off last night. The loss is estimated at \$50,000.

Two Fires in Munition Cars in New Jersey Yard.
NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Incendiaries started two fires within half an hour last night in cars in the yards of the West Shore Railroad in Weehawken, N. J. The yards are filled with freight cars loaded with supplies and munitions awaiting shipment to the allies. In the yards also are from 700 to 800 horses to be shipped to the French Government.

After the fires, officials at the yards said the incendiaries undoubtedly had two objects, one the destruction of the munitions and the other to stampede the horses. They pointed out that similar attempts at stampede had been successful with consignments for Great Britain and France.

Montgomery, Ala. War Order Plant Burned.
MOBILE, Ala., Nov. 17.—Fire last night destroyed the plant of the Hallet Manufacturing Co., with a loss of \$100,000. The firm had a contract for the British Government for what officials called "pit props," to be used in trenches.

\$200,000 Railway Shop Fire at New-Berlin, N. C.
NEWBERN, N. C., Nov. 17.—Fire last night destroyed the Norfolk & Southern Railroad shops here. The loss is placed at \$200,000.

ARCHDUCHESS OF AUSTRIA TO WED VIENNA DOCTOR

Daughter of Archduke Frederick,
Who Is a Divorcee, to
Marry Commoner.

BERLIN, via London, Nov. 17.—According to the Lokal Anzeiger the Archduchess Isabella Marie, daughter of Archduke Frederick, commander in chief of the Austrian Army, is about to marry a commoner, Prof. Paul Albrecht, a Vienna physician.

The Archduchess had a short, though unhappy romance as the consort of Prince George of Bavaria, whom she divorced a few months after their marriage. She then devoted herself to nursing under the name of Sister Irma and in the course of her work met Dr. Albrecht. She has been devoted to her services to the Red Cross during the war.

The marriage of the Archduchess Isabella Marie to Prince George of Bavaria took place in Vienna in February, 1912. The Archduchess renounced all her rights to the succession to the throne of Austria or Hungary on her marriage, but when the papal court dissolved the union, it was stated that she would regain her status as member of the imperial household of Austria.

Shortly after the marriage, and when on their honeymoon the Prince and his consort quarreled and parted. A reconciliation was effected but incompatibility of temperament soon developed again and their final estrangement and divorce followed.

MARSHALL'S GIFT TO MRS. GALT

Vice President Sends Gorgeous Navajo Blanket as Wedding Present.
PHOENIX, Ariz., Nov. 17.—Vice President Thomas R. Marshall's wedding gift to Mrs. Norman Galt, President Wilson's fiancée, is a gorgeous Navajo Indian chief's blanket, made at the reservation in Northeastern Arizona.

The gift was sent East today.

BRITISH HOSPITAL SHIP SUNK BY MINE; 85 MEN LOST; 300 SAVED

Anglia Carrying Wounded Soldiers
From French Battlefields, Is Lost
in the English Channel.

ALLIES' WAR COUNCIL HAS FIRST MEETING IN PARIS

Asquith, Balfour, Grey and Lloyd-George Con-
fer With Briand, Joffre, Gallieni and French
Marine Chief—Allies in Serbia in a
Critical Position.

By Associated Press.
LONDON, Nov. 17.—The British hospital ship Anglia was sunk by a mine in the English Channel today. Three hundred men were saved out of a total of 385, most of whom were wounded soldiers.

There have been storms around the British Isles for several days and shipping has been interfered with. The weather has been cold and snow has appeared in the hills.

This is the first reported accident interfering with the transportation of wounded soldiers from France or other fronts.

ANGLO-FRENCH WAR COUNCIL MEETS IN PARIS

Four British Ministers Confer
With French Leaders, Includ-
ing Gen. Joffre.

PARIS, Nov. 17, 4:30 p. m.—The first meeting of the joint Anglo-French War Council was held here this afternoon. Those taking part were Premier Asquith, A. J. Balfour, First Lord of the Admiralty, David Lloyd-George, Minister of Munitions, and Sir Edward Grey, Secretary of Foreign Affairs of the British Cabinet, while the French participants were Premier Briand, Gen. Gallieni, Minister of War, Admiral Lacaze, Minister of Marine, and Gen. Joffre, the French Commander in Chief.

The four British Ministers on arriving in Paris were met by Premier Briand, who gave a luncheon and reception in their honor before the holding of the war council.

This afternoon the British Ministers had a conference at the Admiralty. Tonight they will dine with President Poincaré and will remain in England probably tomorrow morning.

The British War Committee as announced by Premier Asquith last week, consists, during the temporary absence of Field Marshal Kitchener, of the premier, David Lloyd-George, A. J. Balfour, Andrew Bonar Law, Secretary of the Colonies, and Reginald McKenna, Chancellor of the Exchequer. In addition, it was said Foreign Secretary Grey would share in the work of the committee when foreign relations were under consideration.

Allies in Serbia Must Be Reinforced Soon or Re-Embark, Says Correspondent

PARIS, Nov. 17.—Our expedition in the Balkans is reaching a critical stage, telegraphs the correspondent of the Journal, under date of Sunday. He adds:

"Notwithstanding appeals by competent personalities our reinforcements are not anything like the number required. Our enemies have decided to nip in the bud at any cost our offensive in the East and are prepared to resort to any means to obtain the necessary assistance. I hope that this formula is well understood."

"Serbian resistance is weakening daily. The defenders of Belgrade, the last of the Balkan strongholds, are being surrounded and the road to Prilep and Monastir will then be thrown wide open to the Bulgarians."

"The hosts of Austro-Germans hurrying southward are sending detachments ahead by forced marches on all available routes."

"Do not expect to find a second Belgium. Greece will not hesitate to permit passage by the enemy through her territory as she now permits ours. We must defend ourselves alone and unaided against the triple attack of the Germans, Bulgarians and Turks. The enemy's plan is being carried out and may be realized rapidly. The German fleet of submarines in the Mediterranean has just been quintupled."

"I advance nothing whereof I am not absolutely sure. We must be prepared for any news, even the most unexpected, and even that which seems the craziest. We must have reinforcements in large numbers at once or re-embark while there is yet time."

Another dispatch says the families of the Consuls of the different Powers and the Serbian authorities have arrived at Saloniki from Monastir. It is said British reinforcements are about to start for Monastir."

GRIP ON SERBIAN ARMY TIGHTENS

LONDON, Nov. 17.—The fate of the Serbian army may be only a matter of hours. Monastir, in Southwest Serbia, is reported to be in such a perilous position that the consular officials have departed from the city and gone to Florina, just across the border, into Northern Greece. From the various conflicting reports which have reached the

Cartoonist Minor's Sketches From the Front in France



Robert Minor, a former Post-Dispatch cartoonist, whose work has attracted wide attention has gone on a roving expedition to the Western war zone. His sketches will appear from time to time in the Post-Dispatch.

are limited to rather general artillery exchanges.

KITCHENER GOES TO DARDANELLES

Athens Newspapers Say He Has Left Mudros for Gallipoli Peninsula.

By Associated Press.
ATHENS, Nov. 17.—The newspapers here state that Earl Kitchener, British War Secretary, has left Mudros for the Gallipoli Peninsula.

2000 ADDITIONAL SERBIANS TAKEN

BERLIN, via London, Nov. 17.—Attempts of the Serbians to check the Austro-German drive again have failed, the War Office announced today. More than 2000 Serbians were captured yesterday.

The statement follows: "The pursuit in the mountains made further satisfactory progress. The Serbians were unable to delay our advance to any appreciable extent. More than 2000 prisoners, one machine gun and one cannon remained in our hands."

The War Office also announces that Russian destroyers yesterday bombarded Petragas, on the northern coast of Courland, and the region to the southwest.

ITALIAN FORCE TO GO TO SALONIKI

Troops Are Available and Preparations for Departure Are in Progress.

ROME, Nov. 17.—Italy, according to a statement obtained from a reliable source, will in the end join the entente allies at Saloniki. The supposed indiscretions concerning an Italian expedition to Albania, it is said, are purposely being allowed to circulate in order to divert attention from Italy's real object.

Preparations are in progress to send troops to Saloniki and it is said now that the Italian general staff is only waiting for an opportunity to detach the necessary force. These troops, it is understood, will become available now that the Italians have obtained control of the plateau dominating Gorizia and as the result of the advance through the Carso region and changed conditions due to the winter campaign.

French Minister Cochon Receives Ovation in Athens

PARIS, Nov. 17.—The arrival of Denys Cochon, the French Cabinet Minister, last evening in Athens on a special mission, gave rise to an enthusiastic demonstration of sympathy for France that lasted from 11 o'clock at night to an early hour this morning, according to a Havis dispatch from Athens.

Representatives of Premier Skoulouzis and the Mayor of Athens were at the station with the French Minister and members of the legation to greet M. Cochon, while an immense throng lined the streets to the hotel. Through his progress the Minister was the object of a great ovation and a column of citizens marched to the hotel and greeted M. Cochon with cheering when he showed himself on the balcony, afterward marching to the French Legation singing the "Marseillaise."

7000 LOADED FREIGHT CARS BLOCKED ON EASTERN LINES

Congestion on Railroads Near New York Causes Serious Concern—Last Week's Exports \$50,548,070.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Congestion of freight in and around New York continues to be so great as to cause shippers and transportation companies serious concern. It is attributed to the rush of foodstuffs and munitions for shipment to the belligerents.

It was stated today that one railroad had upward of 7000 loaded cars blocked between Pittsburgh and this city. Hundreds of freight cars with railway equipment for Russia were included in the blockades. Other hundreds of freight cars with shipments for Russia are being sent from Pittsburgh to Seattle. Still other shipments have been sent to Montreal.

25 POSTOFFICE CLERKS AND CARRIERS GO OUT ON STRIKE

Employees at Fairmount, W. Va., Quit as Protest Against Discharge of Assistant Postmaster.

FAIRMOUNT, W. Va., Nov. 17.—Twenty-five postoffice clerks and carriers in the postoffice here, virtually the entire force, struck today as a protest, it was said, against the discharge of W. H. Brand, Assistant Postmaster, and three other employees. The strike has seriously hampered the handling of the mails.

Postmaster Charles H. Manley found on his desk when he entered his office today a large piece of cardboard on which was written four clerks and carriers have quit. Here are your keys," Brand, connected with the postoffice for 17 years, was dismissed on the charge that he aided applicants in civil service examinations. Postmaster Manley is a Republican and a majority of the strikers are Republicans.

JUSTICE HUGHES WANTS NAME TAKEN OFF NEBRASKA TICKET

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—Justice Charles E. Hughes of the United States Supreme Court has telegraphed to the Secretary of State of Nebraska, requesting a copy of the form of a petition filed by Nebraska Republicans placing the name of Justice Hughes on the primary ballot as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the presidency.

The next step, it was said, would be a formal demand by Justice Hughes that his name be removed from the ballots on the ground that it was placed there without his knowledge or consent.

Second Phase of Fight in Serbia Is Analyzed Valley Like Bottle, Neck Only Exit

By Frank H. Simonds.

It is now plain that the second phase in the Serbian campaign is approaching a crisis. The first was concluded when the Serbs were driven west and south of the Orient railway from Belgrade to the Bulgarian frontier. This opened the way, once the railroad was repaired, for German munitions and supplies to go to Constantinople. Pending the reconstruction of the railway, the Danube was available and has been used for transports.

The second phase is supplied by the success of the Serbian armies, so far, in escaping destruction and by the effort of the Anglo-French forces to join hands with them and enable them to escape south into Macedonia. The parallel with Belgium is fairly complete. The allies were unable to reinforce Belgium and the defeated Belgians fell back upon Antwerp. With allied assistance they subsequently succeeded in getting out of Antwerp and reaching the Yser. For the Serbs the problem is the same.

Bulgars out of the neck. The Serb problem is comprehended in the race between the allies and the Germans, the latter to open a retreat for the Serbs, the latter to crush the Serbs while the Bulgars hold fast.

Holding Uskup, the Bulgars command the only route by which the allies could reinforce or supply the Serbs. They hold the main line of Serb retreat. Unless the hold can be broken, the Serbs will have to break up and take refuge in the Montenegrin mountains which lack roads and constitute a natural stronghold. But once there, the Serbs could not be supplied in great numbers and might perish of hunger.

At no time in the war has any considerable army been in greater danger than the Serbian, and its fate cannot long be postponed. If the Bulgars hang on at Uskup for another week, nothing is more certain than that they will be reinforced by the Germans, the allied advance will be permanently checked and the allied army will be faced with the necessity of retreating down the Vardar Valley and into Greek territory.

May Be Driven Out of Macedonia. Even if the Serb army does get south, it is possible that the whole force will be inadequate to withstand the combined force of the Germans and their allies and will be driven out of Macedonia. This is what the allies have in mind in exerting pressure upon King Constantine of Greece to obtain a promise to permit them to pass south, if they have to retreat.

The allies have failed to save Serbia, as was inevitable when Greece declined to enlist. They are striving madly to save the Serbian army and have made considerable progress, but are still far from the Serbian army and their allies of the whole military situation.

A possibility of the situation must be the fortune which overtook the British army in the peninsula war, when the French, under Soult, drove it in upon Corunna and the army, after the death of its commander, Sir John Moore, was forced to take ship. The parallel between this and the earlier peninsula war must appeal in more points than one and supplies comfort, both for the allies and for the Germans.

Regiment of Serbian Partisans Said to Have Been Killed. BERLIN, Nov. 17, by wireless to Saville.—The Overseas News Agency says: "The first Serbian territorial regiment mutilated and killed Col. Frithschewitch, was one of the instigators of the murder of Archduke Francis Ferdinand. His regiment disbanded and the men went into the surrounding villages."

Nadel Jo Gabrinovich, who threw a bomb at Archduke Francis Ferdinand and his wife, the Duchess of Hohenburg, while they were on their way to the Sarajevo town hall just preceding their assassination by Gabor Princip, in his confession that he was an accomplice in the crime said that this then Maj. Milan Pribitchewitch had obtained the bombs and revolvers with which a number of the conspirators were armed.

U. S. MAKING OWN INVESTIGATION OF ANCONA SINKING

Ambassador Penfield's Report as to Details of Torpedo Attack Awaited at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—Detailed information concerning the sinking of the Italian liner Ancona is awaited by administration officials from the Austrian Government through Ambassador Penfield at Vienna.

The Ambassador has instructions to obtain data supplementary to the Austrian Admiralty statement concerning the attack, which has been submitted to Secretary Lansing by the Austrian embassy here. This statement said that an Austrian submarine sank the Ancona and contended that ample time had been given for the escape of the passengers and crew.

Instructions to Ambassador Penfield to make formal inquiry had been withheld until the Austrian Government of the action of the submarine. It previously had been reported that the submarine flew a German flag.

Ambassador Penfield's report probably will not be received for a week, owing to difficulties of cable communication. He has been asked to inquire if the Ancona was warned and how long the liner was shelled. Other questions cover the time given for passengers to escape, the activities of the submarine while they were leaving the vessel and whether any remained on board when the torpedo was fired.

German Submarine Said to Have Sunk Italian Steamer Firenze

PARIS, Nov. 17.—Investigation by the Italian Government has disclosed that the submarine which torpedoed the steamer Firenze was a German, says a Rome correspondent of the Journal. Passengers and crew of the steamer, all of whom were saved, are said to agree with the sailors that the submarine wore German uniforms and also that German colors were hoisted first, although the Austrian flag was substituted later.

If the Firenze, an Italian steamer, was sunk by a German submarine it might be regarded by Italy as an act of war. There has, as yet, been no declaration of hostilities between Italy and Germany.

Austrians Say Loss of Life on Ancona Was Needless

VIENNA, Nov. 17.—The loss of a single life through the sinking of the Ancona was unnecessary, according to officials, who have studied the report on which the statement of the Austrian-Hungarian admiralty, sent out Sunday, was based. The full statement of the commander of the submarine which sank the steamer has not yet been received.

The crew of the Ancona is alleged to have been panic-stricken from the beginning and lowered lifeboats when the ship was moving 14 miles an hour. These boats were swamped, but it is asserted that there were still enough lifeboats to save everybody.

The charge is made that the members of the crew pre-empted the boats and rowed far from the steamer, the captain of which had been allowed almost 10 minutes for the safe removal of those aboard.

An Austrian official remarked that the same panic-stricken conduct was re-

PRESIDENT MAKES NEW APPEAL FOR HILLSTROM'S LIFE

Asks Gov. Spry of Utah to Reconsider Case of Swede Condemned to Be Shot Friday.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—President Wilson today urged Gov. Spry of Utah to reconsider the case of Joseph Hillstrom, a Swedish citizen, sentenced to be shot to death at Salt Lake City Friday for murder.

The President sent to Gov. Spry the following telegram: "With unaffected hesitation, but with a very earnest conviction of the importance of the case, I again venture to urge upon your excellency the justice and advisability of a thorough reconsideration of the case of Joseph Hillstrom."

Hillstrom is an I. W. W. worker in whose behalf the President appealed to Gov. Spry at the request of the Swedish Minister several weeks ago, on the ground that Hillstrom had not had a fair trial. The prisoner was granted a respite, but eventually resented. A few days ago Mrs. J. S. Cram and Elizabeth Gurley Flynn of New York again urged the President to ask Gov. Spry to intervene. The American Federation of Labor at its convention in San Francisco also asked for clemency for Hillstrom.

ported in the case of the Italian crew of the liner Firenze which was sunk after the Ancona.

The Government has in its possession, it is said, the original instructions to all Italian shipmasters to attempt to ram a submarine or escape, depending on the relative positions at the time of an attack.

Officials here say that the commander of the submarine which sank the Ancona had no means of knowing whether the steamer was a peaceful outward-bound passenger ship or a transport, and it is declared that he was even justified in suspecting her to be a warship as she is listed in the International Naval Register as an auxiliary cruiser, with a provisional armament of 12-cannister guns.

"In any event," said the informant of the Associated Press, "the submarine commander did his duty in challenging, and when the ship started in flight, he had no alternative but to open fire. Whether the submarine would have halted the Ancona if it were known that she was a passenger ship bound for America is an academic question."

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BIBLE SCHOOL'S FUNDS SAID TO BE \$100,000 SHORT

Managers of Scarritt Institution in Kansas City Called to Meet Tomorrow.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 17.—A meeting of the Board of Managers of the Scarritt Bible and Training School, an institution of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, has been called for tomorrow night to hear reports on the condition of the school's \$25,000 endowment fund, which it is reported has been impaired to the extent of \$100,000.

Bishop E. B. Hendrix of the M. E. Church South, asked for a statement, last night, of an audit of the assets of the Scarritt Bible and Training School is under way. That it should cause comment, alarm or conjecture is beyond any fact that I could explain. A report will be made to the board at a meeting Thursday night. At that time many of us will be in a position to give out the complete facts."

W. C. Scarritt, attorney for the Scarritt estate, said today that the finances of the school were not in as bad a condition as they might be nor in as good a condition as they should be. He would not specify the amount of the reported shortage.

The announcement was made last night that J. S. Chick, treasurer of the board, had tendered his resignation, but it was said that no action would be taken on the resignation until tomorrow night's meeting. If at all, the resigning attorney announced that he will investigate the report of a shortage.

The school opened in 1902, was established as the result of a bequest by Rev. Dr. Nathan Scarritt, pioneer Methodist clergyman and settler in Kansas City.

At a meeting of the Women's Missionary Society, in May, 1900, in St. Louis, the society raised \$25,000 to add to Dr. Scarritt's endowment. Other additions have been made since then.

Wants to Help Poor Families.
A well-dressed man, who would not disclose his identity, last night asked the police to furnish him the names of five destitute families who are worthy of aid. He said he would call later for the information. Patrolmen were told to report cases of destitution or their beats.

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ALLIES DECLARED TO BE PACIFIC TOWARD PERSIA

Lord Cecil Tells House of Commons Russian Troops Are to Protect Subjects in Teheran.

LONDON, Nov. 17.—Replying to a request for information concerning the critical situation in Persia, Lord Robert Cecil, Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, told the House of Commons last night that "the one aim of the Russian troops advancing toward Teheran is to afford protection to the foreign colonies in case of need and the Persian Government has been expressly informed of the pacific intention of the troops."

It was pointed out by Lord Cecil that the British Government feared for the safety of its own and allied legations and their subjects, in view of the presence there of German and Austrian officers and because of recent events in Teheran. Proposals, he said, have been received from the Persian Government and were now under consideration.

Provided Persia made a real effort to prevent attacks on the British and allied officials by subjects of enemy Powers, the Under-Secretary said, the Government's one aim would be to maintain the most friendly relations with Persia.

It is asserted in a Petrograd dispatch received here that after deliberating with the Council of Ministers, the Shah of Persia received the British and Russian Ministers and informed them that he had given up the idea of leaving the city.

"The Shah," the dispatch adds, "declared himself friendly to Great Britain and Russia and did not hide the fact that in the case of a war the Germans had made great efforts to draw Persia into the war against Russia. Before the Shah's interview with the British and Russian Ministers, the German, Austrian and Turkish Ministers, feeling sure that the Shah would leave Teheran, departed from the Persian capital."

"Prince Fynoud Danouie and Prince Firman Firman, both of whom are Russianophile, have been given seats in the Cabinet."

Turks Protest to Washington Against Consulate Arrest in Persia

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—Hussein Bey, charge of the Turkish embassy, today transmitted to Secretary Lansing for the Ottoman Government, a protest against the alleged arrest of a Turkish and British soldier in arresting Turkish Consul in Persia and taking over the consulate.

The communication describes the acts as "violations of the elementary principles of international law resorted to by the adversaries of Turkey against Ottoman agents in the territory of a neutral state."

One dispatch from Constantinople, cited in the communication, said of the arrest by Russian authorities of Teyfik Bey, acting Turkish Consul at Reht, Persia, his transfer to Russia, and the clearing of the consulate, including the taking away of the archives, the coat of arms and flag. Another described the occupation of Benderbouchir, Persia, by British troops, seizure of the Turkish consulate and the hoisting of the British flag in the place of the flag which was flying above the consulate.

6 MEN KILLED, 25 ENTOMBED IN MINE NEAR SEATTLE

Explosion Traps 31 Laborers 1500 Feet Underground—Bodies of Six Recovered.

SEATTLE, Nov. 17.—Rescue parties which worked in 90-minute shifts all night are still endeavoring to recover the bodies of 25 men entombed in the third level of the Northwestern Improvement Co. coal mine at Ravensdale, 35 miles southeast of here. An explosion in the mine yesterday trapped 31 men.

The bodies of six men were recovered last night. The others are on a level 1500 feet underground, and it is feared it will take many hours to reach them.

The cause of the explosion still is undetermined, although it is believed that coal dust was ignited by a "windy shot."

Expert rescue teams from the United States Bureau of Mines in Seattle and from coal camps on both slopes of the Cascade Mountains were rushed to Ravensdale to assist in the rescue work.

BETROTHAL CRITIC WILL THANK PRESIDENT FOR REINSTATEMENT

Assistant Postmaster at Winnetka, Ill., Also to Express Gratitude for Reinstatement.

CHICAGO, Nov. 17.—Friends of George Burkit, Assistant Postmaster at Winnetka, announced today that Burkit would write a letter to President Wilson expressing his sorrow that any remark of his regarding the President's forthcoming marriage, should have caused the President any annoyance. He also will express his appreciation of the President's impersonal attitude in having him reinstated.



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Out From City Their Condi-
tion Is Unsatisfactory.

BOND ISSUE ARGUMENT

Campaign Being Made to Get
Signatures to Petition Call-
ing for Special Election.

One of the most effective arguments for the \$3,000,000 road and bridge bond issue campaign in St. Louis County, advanced by the Permanent Roads and Bridge Association, is that the annual cost of maintenance of the principal roads radiating from St. Louis is \$500 a mile for a distance of five miles from the city limits. Even with this heavy expenditure, it is impossible to keep such roads as the Olive street, St. Charles road, Natural Bridge, Clayton, Manchester, Lemay Ferry and Gravois in good condition during the season of heaviest traffic.

During the past three months a considerable portion of these roads has been resurfaced, but the roads are now full of holes, and in some places are almost impassable. County Highway Engineer Eibring estimates that 10,000 automobiles are driven over the principal roads of the county every fair Sunday throughout the spring, summer and fall season, to say nothing of the slight and week-day traffic. The macadam surface is ground into powder by the heavy machines and is blown away as dust.

Beyond the five-mile limit the cost of maintenance is about \$200 for the next five miles.

Cost \$5000 a Mile.
The cost of an asphalt, bituminous macadam or brick road, which would need little or no repair during the first five years, is estimated at \$5000 a mile. The money spent on repairs of the present roads within the five-mile district would pay one-half the cost of a permanent road.

The report of the County Highway Engineer shows that the county spent in 1914, \$71,749.21 for macadam and gravel for repairs; \$41,714.48 for road oiling, in addition to \$14,363.89 for road over-seers' salaries and \$67,596.12 for labor, teams and other items.

There are 500 miles of rock or gravel

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To look one's best and feel one's best is to enjoy an inside bath each morning to flush from the system the previous day's waste, your impurities and poisonous toxins before it is absorbed into the blood. Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of combustible material in the form of ashes, so the food and drink taken each day leave in the alimentary organs a certain amount of indigestible material, which if not eliminated, form toxins and poisons which are then sucked into the blood through the very ducts which are intended to suck in only nourishment to sustain the body.

If you want to see the glow of healthy bloom in your cheeks, to see your skin get clearer and clearer, you are told to drink every morning upon arising a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, which is a harmless means of washing the waste material and toxins from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary tract, before putting more food into the stomach.

Men and women with sallow skins, liver spots, pimples or pallid complexion, also those who wake up with a coated tongue, bad taste, nasty breath, others who are bothered with headaches, bilious spells, acid stomach or constipation should begin this phosphated hot water drinking and are assured of very pronounced results in one or two weeks.

A quarter pound of limestone phosphate costs very little at the drug store, but is sufficient to demonstrate that just as soap and hot water cleanses, purifies and freshens the body and limestone phosphate act on the inside organs. We must always consider that internal sanitation is vastly more important than outside cleanliness, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowel pores do—ADV.

Colds Relieved Without Dosing

If you have tried "Internal" remedies without success, we want you to try the "External" treatment—Vick's "Vapo-Rub" Salve. Apply hot wet towels over the throat and chest to open the pores, then rub Vick's in well and cover with a warm flannel cloth. The body warmth releases healing vapors that are inhaled with each breath, and, in addition, Vick's is absorbed through the pores. 25c, 50c, or \$1.00.

VICK'S VAPORUB SALVE

Women in Holy Souls Bazar



Mrs. Henry A. Clover



Mrs. George Helmuth



Mrs. Guido Pantaleoni



Mrs. Howard Benoit

The patronesses of the Catholic order of Helpers of the Holy Souls will hold their annual bazar for the sisters in the convent house, 402 Washington boulevard, Saturday from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. Over 50 St. Louis women will have active charge of the affair. Among them will be Mrs. Howard Benoit of 431 Berlin avenue, Mrs. Henry A. Clover of 4430 Lindell boulevard, Mrs. Guido Pantaleoni of 15 Lenox place and Mrs. George Helmuth of 4468 Maryland avenue.

Novelties from over the country will be offered for sale, as well as handmade children's clothing, lingerie, lace, etc. Luncheon will be served at midday and dinner at night. The public is invited to attend.

While the Helpers of the Holy Souls is a Catholic order, the sisters' activities, consisting of nursing the sick in their homes and laying out of the dead, is undenominational, and many of those interested in the bazar are of other than Catholic faith. The sisters are forbidden by rules of the order to receive pay of any kind for their work.

So many of the strictly high-grade tailoring at reasonable prices is proof of well-pleased patrons. Suits and overcoats, \$30 and up. H. A. Heese, Pierce Bldg.

Munition Plant at Anniston, Ala.
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It was stated that a contract to supply war munitions already has been accepted from J. P. Morgan.

Try Raisin Bread, Free.
Coupons at all grocers', Nov. 22, 23, 24 American Bakery Co., distributors.

CITY MAY BUILD LIGHT PLANT

Springfield, Mo., Council Calls Election on \$400,000 Bond Issue.
SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Nov. 17.—The City Council last night ordered the calling of a special election on Jan. 11 to vote on an issue of \$400,000 in 30-year bonds for the building of an electric lighting plant.

This is the latest step of citizens in their fight for lower power rates. The electric light company recently appealed to the Federal courts from a ruling of the public service commission fixing 8 cents as the maximum rate for light and power.

"ACTOIDS" ACT ACTIVELY.
On Liver, Stomach and Bowels.

Negro Kills His Wife.
Charles Poe, a negro, 27 years old, of 120 North Ninth street, shot and killed his wife, Stella Poe, 27 years old, last night. They quarreled in their home and she threatened to leave. Poe escaped.

Auto and Eggs Burned.
An auto and \$50 worth of eggs, the property of A. Teitelbaum, a produce merchant, were destroyed by fire in a shed at 2621 Thomas street, at 7 o'clock this morning.

BAZAR OF HELPERS OF HOLY SOULS TO BE HELD SATURDAY

Annual Affair for Sisters Whose
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GREGORY TO ASK CONGRESS TO REVISE NEUTRALITY LAWS

Attorney-General Wants Amendment
to Trust Act to Punish Plotters
Against Munition Plants.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—Congress will be asked at its coming session to revise the Federal neutrality laws. This is one of the steps decided upon by the administration to enable the Department of Justice to deal more effectively with offenses against the United States growing out of the war.

Attorney-General Gregory, who discussed the subject at yesterday's Cabinet meeting, announced that he would recommend to Congress an amendment to the Sherman anti-trust law to make certain its application to conspiracies such as are reported to have caused recent strikes in munition plants, attempts to blow up ships and other activity designed to interfere with interstate and foreign commerce.

DO YOU DREAD THE COLD?
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The difference is in the blood. Rich, red blood warms the body. Every long breath of pure cold air increases the oxygen it carries to every part of the system. Thin blood is unable to take up the life-sustaining oxygen. The body lacks nourishment and the sufferer is always cold, takes a chill easily and is miserable all winter.

Thin blood is largely the sufferer's own fault. It results from neglect, because the blood can be built up. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills supply the elements that the blood needs to make it rich and red and to enable it to carry more oxygen. Building up the red portion of the blood is simple but because thin blood does not call attention to itself it is often neglected. Have you seriously considered taking a course of treatment with these blood-making pills? If you are in doubt write for information.

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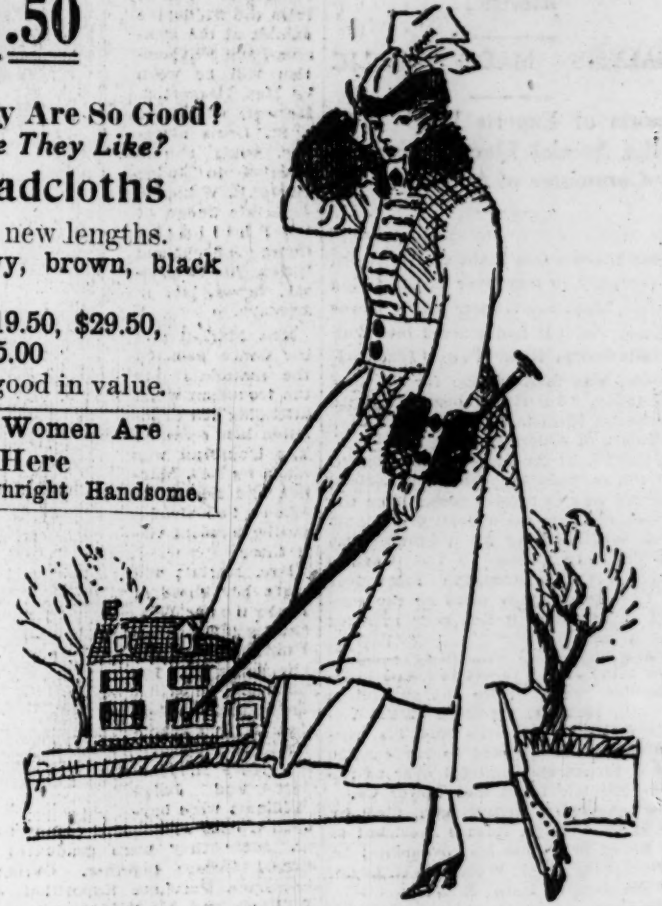
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Samples—fine bleached, ribbed,
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elbow sleeves or sleeveless;
drawers ankle length; sizes to 44 **58c**

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Regular 2 for 5c Pearl Buttons—all sizes—4
CARDS
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\$1 House Dresses

Striped percales and plain col-
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Dresses of white and black per-
cales.

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92x99 and 92x108.

Many are spoke-hemstitched;
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59c

On Square "K"

Underpriced Wash Goods

12½c and 15c Kinds

15c Printed 4½x7½x90
12½c Muscadine Percales
15c Flannel and Check Gingham
15c Underwear Crepe, in colors
15c Genuine Hosiery

10c

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NAMES FORGED TO PETITIONS FOR STREET PAVING

Public Service Board Finds Total
in Some Cases Exceed Number
of Property Owners.

The Board of Public Service will hereafter demand affidavits to the genuineness of property owners' signatures, attached to petitions for street improvement, and that the signatures be legally attested by disinterested persons.

This decision was reached yesterday, after the board had learned that contractors were employing paid solicitors, and that in some cases there is reason to doubt the genuineness of signatures. The solicitors are said to receive a fixed amount for each name they get.

C. G. Prosser of 1333 Odell street and F. C. Hohman of 645 East Red, Bud avenue, told the board that their names, appearing on petitions for street improvements, were not signed by them.

The board also found that in several cases the number of signatures to petitions and remonstrances considerably exceeded the number of those who were legally qualified to sign. In the case of Maffitt avenue, between King's highway and Union boulevard, where 73 property owners are eligible to sign, there were 57 signatures to a petition for brick paving, 29 for asphalt and 16 names on a remonstrance, a total of 102.

In the case of Compton avenue, between Gasconade and Maramee streets, 73 per cent of the property owners signed a petition for brick and 57 per cent for asphalt, a total of 135 per cent of the whole.

City Counselor Dues advised the board, in reply to an inquiry from President Kinsey, that the board had the right to take every safeguard against fraud, and to demand proof of the genuineness of signatures.

Brick and asphalt contractors, and in some cases those dealing in wood block pavements, are in lively competition in many cases, and solicitors employ various arguments to get signatures in favor of the various materials. One woman told the board that, when she said she was opposed to any paving, the solicitor told her it had been decided to pave the street (which was not the case) and persuaded her to sign for brick, as the cheapest material.

THIS LETTER STANDS FOR
HOSTETTER'S
FOR OVER 60 YEARS WELL
KNOWN AS A "FIRST AID" TO

HHEALTH
APPETITE POOR?
DIGESTION BAD?
BOWELS CLOGGED?
YOU SHOULD TRY

HOSTETTER'S
Stomach Bitters
IT'S YOUR LIVER!
YOU FEEL BILIOUS,
HEADACHY AND SICK

Don't stay constipated with breath
bad, stomach sour or a cold.

Enjoy life! Live your liver and
bowels tonight, and feel fine.

CCC CCC
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CANDY
CATHARTIC
CASCARETS
10c

Tonight sure! Remove the liver
and bowel poison which is keeping
your head dizzy, your tongue coated
breath offensive and stomach sour.
Don't stay bilious, sick, headachy,
constipated and full of cold. Why
don't you get a box of Cascarets
from the drug store now? Eat one
or two tonight and enjoy the nicest,
gentlest liver and bowel cleansing
you ever experienced. You will
wake up feeling fit and fine. Cas-
carets never gripe or bother you all
the next day like calomel, salts and
pills. They act gently but thor-
oughly. Mothers should give croup,
sick, bilious or feverish children a
whole Cascaret any time. They are
harmless and children love them—
ADV.

PAGEANT CHORUS OUTSHINES STARS IN BIBLICAL OPERA

Excellent Performance of Sam-
son and Delilah—Symphony
Assists.

By RICHARD L. STOKES.
THE Pageant Choral Society proved itself the true heir of that event of enduring beauty, the Pageant and Masque, in Forest Park, by giving an admirable presentation, last night, at the Odeon, of Saint-Saens' formidable Biblical opera, "Samson and Delilah." How ambitious was the undertaking, with which the choral society began its second season, may be judged from the fact that it was this work which was chosen for the opening performance of the Metropolitan Opera Company, Monday night, in New York, with Caruso, Amato and Matzenauer in the leading roles.

The choral society is composed of 200 male and female voices, and had its origin in the chorus which sang the music of the Pageant, almost two years ago. The members decided afterwards that they would not disband, but would form themselves into a permanent musical body, both to perpetuate the memory of the Pageant and to foster their singing in the city. Frederick Fischer, assistant director of the Symphony Orchestra, has from the beginning been the leader and trainer of the chorus.

Supported by Symphony.
At last night's performance, the chorus was supported by the entire Symphony Orchestra and by four imported soloists—John Campbell, tenor, of the Oratorio Society, New York; Horatio Connel, baritone, of the Handel and Haydn Society, Boston; Louis Bauer, basso, of the Municipal Opera at Cologne, and Miss Kathleen Howard, American contralto, who has been a prima donna at Covent Garden and the Royal Opera at London.

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It is not mere local partiality to say that this chorus of amateur singers, most of them with little training save that gained under Fischer, succeeded, as far as musical enjoyment goes, in outshining the professional soloists, including even Miss Howard; and that its supremacy throughout the opera was challenged successfully only once—when the Symphony Orchestra, in genuine Friday and Saturday concert style, played the exotic bacchanalian music at the beginning of the third act.

The triumph of the chorus was due in part to the fact that the music was everywhere thrilling and magnificent in its writing of the choral parts; while his music for the solo roles was too often so arid and thankless that only voices able to give pleasure by their own beauty could hope to redeem it. But the chorus had gratifying artistic merits of its own, not the least of which was the fine and refreshing enthusiasm of the amateur, singing only for the love of it and rejoicing heartily in every note.

Technically, there were unpolished spots—a lack of finish and smoothness here and there—but there was always evidence of painstaking and loyal work, and the result, considering the composition of the chorus, was little short of amazing. It was significant that the greatest part of the opera was the second act, in which the chorus is silent throughout.

That the chorus was not merely singing but felt the meaning of the music, was shown by its interpretation of the varied moods of the opera. Desolation and weariness spoke in the first chorus, "God, Israel's God," exalted courage in "Israel, Break Your Chains," and gayety and youth in the chorus of Philistine women, "New Spring's Generous Hand," profound despair in "Samson, Why Thy Vow to God Hast Thou Broken" and fiery pride and pomp in "Dagon Shows His Power"—the last being especially able to cause the pulse to quicken.

Miss Howard Restricted.
Miss Howard, it seemed, continually chafed under the restrictions of the oratorio form, and would have been happier could she have had the freer scope of the operatic stage for her portrayal of the Philistine vampire. She has a rich and strong contralto voice, though it tends to become guttural in the lowest notes, and uses it with much skill and considerable emotional power. Her singing gave promise that in opera she would be a splendid and impassioned Delilah. Her best moments came in the most popular aria of the work, "My Heart at Thy Dear Voice."

As to the male soloists, it is sufficient to say that Raymond H. S. Koch, a member of the chorus, who will be remembered for his robust voice in the speaking part of Gold, in the Pageant, showed in the four lines of his part as a Philistine messenger more vim and musical effect than the three professionals together displayed during the entire evening. The contrast was less than startling when, in the midst of their wooden and feeble singing, Koch's voice, brimming with vitality, rang out from the middle of the stage.

No Deposit Required.
From residence customers for Union Electric Light & Power Co. Service.

SALOONKEEPER KILLS HIMSELF.
Joseph Marbach, 42 years old, proprietor of a saloon at 1300 South Seventh street, shot and killed himself in his room above the saloon yesterday afternoon. The shot was heard by his wife, who found his body.

Mrs. Marbach told the police her husband frequently had threatened to kill himself.

Try Raisin Bread, Free.
Coupons at all grocers, Nov. 22, 23, 24.
American Bakery Co. distributors.

U. S. NAVY PROGRAM VIEWED AS NEW BURDEN ON EUROPE

Lord Rosebery Declares Weight on
Other Nations Will Grow in Pro-
portion as Fleet is Increased.
LONDON, Nov. 17.—"I know nothing more disheartening than the announce-
ment recently made that the United States—the one great country left in the world free from the hideous burden of war—is about to embark upon the building of a huge armada, destined to be equal or second to our own," said Lord Rosebery, presiding at the Rhodes lecture in the University of London last night.

"It means," he added, "that the burden will continue upon the other nations and be increased exactly in proportion to the fleet of the United States."

FINDS FATHER AFTER 42 YEARS
Strange Tangle Revealed in Affairs
of Kansas City Man's Family.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 17.—After a separation of 42 years, Charles Vedder, 43 years old, last night entertained at his home in this city his father, H. A. Vedder of Johnston, Neb., who had not seen him since the younger man was 15 months old. Mrs. Charles Vedder found her husband's father by ascertaining the address at which his pension was paid.

When H. A. Vedder was 27 years old and was working in a town 50 miles from his home he received a letter purporting to be from his wife, but actually written by a neighbor, which said his son had been scalded to death in a wash tub. Enraged at his wife, he went away. She believed that he died. Both remarried and reared families. The younger Vedder's mother lives at Sweet Springs, Mo.

PADEREWSKI'S TEACHER DIES
Theodore Leschettitzky Succumbs at
85 at His Villa Near Dresden.

DRESDEN, Nov. 17.—Theodor Leschettitzky, famous teacher of the piano, is dead at the age of 85. He lived for many years at Vienna, but more recently at a villa near Dresden. He was the principal master of Paderewski. Leschettitzky made his debut in Vienna in 1846 and for several years taught piano at St. Petersburg Conservatory.

Bad Egg Dealer Fined \$2000.
BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 17.—Interstate trade in spoiled eggs intended for human consumption cost Henry Sloan of Kansas City a \$2000 fine yesterday. Prosecution was brought under the pure food and drug act.

Southern Express Vice President Dies
CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Nov. 17.—Charles L. Loop, vice president of the Southern Express Co. and one of its founders, died here today.

DANDRUFF GOES!
HAIR GETS THICK,
WAVY AND GLOSSY

Save your hair! Double its beauty
in a few moments. Try this!

Hair stops coming out and every
particle of dandruff disappears.

Try as you will, after an applica-
tion of Danderine, you can not find a
single trace of dandruff or falling
hair and your scalp will not itch
but what will please you most, will
be after a few weeks use when you
see new hair, fine and downy at first
—yes—but really new hair—growing
all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately
doubles the beauty of your hair. No
difference how dull, faded, brittle
and scraggy, just moisten a cloth
with Danderine and carefully draw
it through your hair, taking one
small strand at a time. The effect
is immediate and amazing—your
hair will be light, fluffy and wavy,
and have an appearance of abun-
dant, incomparable lustre, soft-
ness and luxuriance, the beauty and
shimmer of true hair health.

Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's
Danderine from any drug store or
toilet counter, and prove that your
hair is as pretty and soft as any
that it has been neglected or injured
by careless treatment—that's all.
Danderine is to the hair what
fresh showers of rain and sunshine
are to vegetation. It goes right to
the roots, invigorates and strength-
ens them. Its exhilarating, stimu-
lating and life-producing properties
cause the hair to grow long, strong
and beautiful.—ADV.



Resinol
Soap clears
away pimples

The soothing, healing Resinol
balsams in Resinol Soap, combined
with its freedom from harsh, irritat-
ing alkali, give to red, rough and
pimply complexions that whiteness
and velvety softness for which
women yearn. A skin washed only
with Resinol Soap is usually a skin
to be proud of.

Sold by all druggists. For sample form, write
to Dept. 25, Resinol, Baltimore, Md.

—Again Thursday

We Shall Demonstrate Our Underselling Ability in This Six-Day Sale

In Addition to These, There Is a Full Page of Basement Bargains in Today's Times and Star.

Women's \$1.50 Gloves
Women's Gloves, "Adler"
and "Bacno" makes, white
only, with spear backs and
P. X. M. sewn seams. Large
pearl and ivory clasps. Regu-
lar \$1.50, at the pair.....

\$1.15

(Main Floor.)

Women's 50c Union Suits
Jersey ribbed lisle thread
Union Suits—made with
high neck, short sleeves
and knee length.....

25c

(Square 15—Main Floor.)

\$2.25 Spangled Flouncies
Beautiful Spangled Flouncies
of fine quality silk net, elab-
orately embroidered in Lierre
lace, combined with court-
ette spangles. 27 inches wide.
Yard.....

\$1.50

(Main Floor.)

Women's 75c Union Suits
Fine ribbed, fleece-
lined, cotton Union Suits—
low neck, elbow sleeves,
ankle-length style, extra
size.....

45c

(Main Floor.)

Misses' 50c Union Suits
Misses' fleece-lined cotton
Union Suits, white or peeler
color, with high neck, long
sleeves and ankle length—50c
quality—for Thursday at.....

39c

(Main Floor.)

\$1 Sunfast Material
Sunfast Drapery Materi-
al, in beautiful designs, in
all the wanted colors. Come
in the 50-inch width—at
yard.....

60c

(Fourth Floor.)

Stix Baer & Fuller
GRAND LEADER
SIXTH FLOOR
SEVENTH & LUCAS
SAINT LOUIS

Men's 50c Underwear
Shirts and Drawers, of heavy
cotton, ribbed—in white, gray
and ecru—fleece-lined, in all
sizes—special, the garment,
for Thursday.....

33c

(Main Floor.)

25c Lisle Stockings
Children's Lisle Stockings,
in black and white, of medi-
um weight, with double
heels and toes. Slightly ir-
regular. Specially priced at,
for Thursday.....

15c

(Sixth St. Highway.)

25c to 30c Curtain Nets
In all the newest weaves, in
a splendid assortment of pat-
terns, in white, cream and
Arabian color—25c to 30c
grades—yard.....

15c

(Fourth Floor.)

Double Roasting Pans
Of heavy gauge alumi-
num, seamless, side han-
dles—size of Roasters 10x
15 inches. Exceptional
value.....

\$1.89

(Fifth Floor.)

\$1.10 Dutch Ovens
No. 8 size, made of iron,
polished inside—flat bottom,
bail handle—fitted with
cover.....

79c

(Fifth Floor.)

Men's \$1.50 to \$2.50
Union Suits
"Cooper" and "Otis"
makes, of mercerized lisle,
linen-finish mesh, merino
and cotton, ribbed—in the
most desired shades.....

75c

(Main Floor.)

Women's 25c Stockings
Cotton and Lisle Stockings,
in black and white—made with
double heels and toes—extra
special value, Thursday at, the
pair.....

19c

(Main Floor.)

Children's \$1 Gloves
Children's Kid Gloves,
with plique seams and large
clasp, in sizes from 6 to 8
—\$1 qualities for Thursday
at, pair.....

75c

(Main Floor.)

Men's \$1 Shirts
Plaited bosom style of per-
cale, in neat black and white
stripes—launched cuffs at-
tached—all sizes from 14 to 17.
for Thursday.....

57c

(Men's Store—Main Floor.)

\$1.75 Aluminum Skillets
Cast Aluminum Skil-
lets, No. 8 size, made with
wood handles. An extraor-
dinary value for Thursday.....

98c

(Fifth Floor.)

\$5 White Wool Blankets
Just sixty pairs of fine
quality Blankets, containing
fine lamb's-wool, silk bound.
Finished with pink or blue
borders. Size 72x80 inches.
pair.....

\$3.19

(Second Floor.)

Hand-Emb'd. Pillow Slips
Hand-embroidered Sofa
Pillow Slips—some imported
models, others discontinued
styles—\$2 to \$5 qualities.....
(Art Needlework—Second Floor.)

\$1.25

Men's 50c Silk Half Hose
Pure thread Silk Half
Hose, in black and colors,
plain and novelty effects—
reinforced with lisle sole
toes and high heels.....

35c

(Main Floor.)

\$2.50 Fancy Brocade Corsets
Fancy pink Brocade Corsets,
in the season's best models—
ribbon and embroidery trim-
med. Boned with excellent
quality rust-proof steel. Three
pairs web supporters.....

\$1.35

(Second Floor.)

85c Linen Table Damask
Good, heavy quality all-
linen bleached Damask, in
several attractive designs—
66 inches in width—special
for Thursday, yard.....

69c

(Second Floor.)

\$3.25 Dinner Napkins
Made of extra quality all-
linen—bleached with damask
designs—size 22x22 in. square
—special, the dozen.....

\$2.50

(Second Floor.)

The Great Sales of Outer Apparel

Are a Bright Feature of This Extraordinary Six-Day Event

New Fall Coats
Regular \$24.75 to \$35.00 Grades
\$18.00

A collection which, embraces most remark-
able values—the very best styles—in all the
materials most in demand.

EVERY Garment Is Worth Fully One-
Half and More Than the Sale Price.

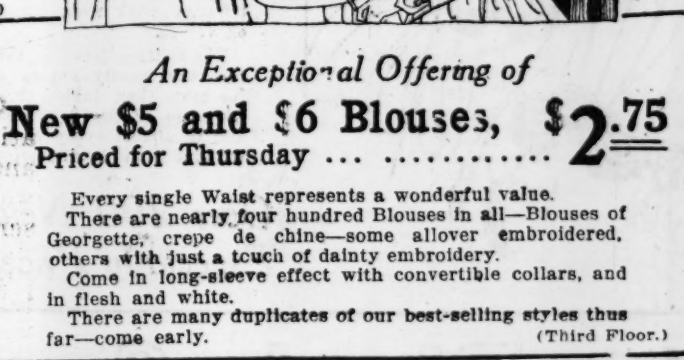
There are Coats of broadcloth, cheviot, ve-
lour, plush, whipcord, corduroy and novelties.
All sizes in the lot as a whole. (Third Floor.)



New Fall Skirts
Regular \$7.50 to \$10.00 Values
\$4.95

As a demonstration of the Skirt Section's under-
selling ability, we offer this unusual group of
skirts at the advertised price.

THEY Come in Extremely Smart and
Distinctive Models.
Including the full flaring modes, with pockets and
detachable belts, clever yoked and scalloped effects.
The materials are best quality broadcloth, serge
and gabardine, plaids, novelty materials and whip-
cords. All sizes—choice. (Third Floor.)



New \$5 and \$6 Blouses, \$2.75
Priced for Thursday.....

Every single Waist represents a wonderful value.
There are nearly four hundred Blouses in all—Blouses of
Georgette, crepe de chine—some allover embroidered,
others with just a touch of dainty embroidery.
Come in long-sleeve effect with convertible collars, and
in flesh and white.
There are many duplicates of our best-selling styles thus
far—come early. (Third Floor.)



Linen Cluny Laces
All-linen Laces, in widths
up to 5 inches—various cluny
patterns, which are ideal for
fancy work and trimming
purposes. Special at, yard
(Square 12—Main Floor.)

22c

\$1 Dozen Hyacinth Bulbs
Extra large Hyacinth
Bulbs, in all the wanted colors—
ideal for bedding or house-pot
purposes—usually sell at \$1 doz.
—Thursday, the dozen.....

45c

(Fifth Floor.)

29c Artificial Violets at
Violets in bunches—so
popular with the younger
set—give a finishing touch
to the evening dress—29c
quality—at.....

19c

(Main Floor.)

\$4 O'Sullivanized Shoes
Four of the best styles for
women, from our regular lines at
\$4. Patent leather, with cloth
tops—patent lace with cloth
tops—gunmetal and plain kid.....

\$2.95

(Main Floor.)

15c and 25c Hair Nets
Largest size (44x46 in.)
Hair Nets, of very strong
human hair—hand-made,
close mesh, double knotted
—all shades.....

3 for 19c

(Third Floor.)

Boys' 75c Blouse Waists
Blouses of fine mercerized
material, in assorted colored
stripes. Made with high soft
collar attached, and come in all
the wanted sizes.....

55c

(Main Floor.)

25c Japanese Garden Sets
Sets consist of House,
Bridge and Figures suffi-
cient to make a complete
Japanese garden—regular
selling price 25c.....

10c

(Fifth Floor.)

\$1 Nickel-Plated Cackeroles
Made of brass, highly nick-
el plated—side handles—fit-
ted with fireproof baking dish
and cover—while quantity lasts
(Square 17—Main Floor and Fifth Floor.)

69c

Kleinert's Dress Shields
Kleinert's Brassiere Gar-
ment Dress Shields, in size
36 to 42. Always sell at 50c
pair—each packed in box—at
the special price of, pair.....

25c

(Main Floor.)

Sale of Toilet Goods
Large-size bottle Listerine, 14 ounces—
the bottle.....
39c box Dora Imported Rice Powder—
all tins.....
\$3 Rigaud's Mary Garden, Lilies or High
Jinks Perfume, ounce.....

55c

(Main Floor.)

\$1 White Corduroy
Genuine fast pile hollow
cut, wide-wale Goffine Cor-
durey, 27 inches wide. This
material is much in demand
for skirts and coats. Regu-
larly \$1. at, yard.....

70c

(Second Floor.)

\$2 Wool Velour
All-wool, military stripe Velour
—soft, very stylish for the pre-
vailing modes in suits and coats—
50 inches wide—\$2 quality for
Thursday at, yard.....

98c

(Second Floor.)

\$8 Dress Trunks
Made of three-ply veneer—
covered, hard fiber—cold
rolled steel trimmed. Two
trays—top tray divided for
hats. Heavily strapped, 24
inch size.....

\$5

(Second Floor—Annex.)

JAPAN'S GAIETY

AT CORONATION
UNPRECEDENTED

Carnival in Streets of Kioto
Rivals Those of New Orleans
and Nice.

LAST OF CELEBRATIONS

Native and Foreign Modern
Music Combined in Final
Feast of Celebration.

KIOTO, Nov. 17.—The people of the empire are feasting and rejoicing over the coronation to an extent hitherto unknown in the history of Japan. The streets of Kioto last night were filled with parades dancing and singing. Men, geisha girls and children, wearing burlesque costumes and carrying paper lanterns, beat ancient drums and gongs. The scenes resembled those witnessed during the carnivals at New Orleans, Paris and Nice, except that they had an Oriental setting.

Foreigners were struck with the friendly spirit displayed by the crowds. In spite of the gaiety there were no signs of intoxication and no disorders. Count Okuma, the aged Premier, is suffering under the strain of the long program, but pluckily continues to take his part.

The officers of the United States cruise, the Saratoga, who were not present at the third coronation feast, held tonight, were entertained by the Mayor of Kioto at a Japanese dinner.

German music barred. Only music of the allies was played today at the second of the great national feasts provided by the Emperor in celebration of his coronation. German music was barred on account of the war.

In contradistinction to the first feast held last night when the music was entirely that of old Japan, that of today was entirely modern. Court musicians rendered selections by modern composers of France, Russia and Italy. Including airs by Massenet, Bizet, Verdi and the Russian genius, Scriabin, who died several months ago. The selection was left to Prof. William Duvorvitch, a musician attached to the household department.

Today's feast which began at noon in the NiJo palace was purely modern, both as to menu and entertainment. The members of the diplomatic corps, including George W. Guthrie, the American Ambassador, and Mrs. Guthrie, were present, as were also the ministers of state, nobles, other dignitaries and representatives of the Diet.

Mikado in Generalissimo Uniform. The Emperor and suite arrived last, according to court custom. The Emperor was dressed in the full uniform of generalissimo of the army and his suite was brilliant in full dress uniform. There were no formal speeches as on yesterday.

The NiJo palace stands at the former site of the old NiJo Castle, founded by Ota Noyunaga. In the reign of Emperor Goyozaka, 1337 A. D. The building of the famous Juraku Castle, erected by Takko Hideoyoshi, was removed here in 1603 A. D., but was destroyed in 1783 by fire. The present building is a reconstruction. The building has since been preserved as an Imperial palace and by a proclamation issued in 1854 was named the NiJo detached palace. It was at this palace that the last Shogun formally returned the right of political administration to Emperor Mutsuhito. This is known in Japanese history, as the "Meiji Restoration of 1868."

Last of the Ceremonies. While the first coronation feast was purely Japanese entertainment and the second purely modern, the third and last banquet, which was held tonight was an intentional mingling of the East and the West.

After the ancient Japanese music adopted from old Chinese airs came the modern music of the West. Two kinds of ancient music, respectively known as "Bansharaku" and "Taiheiraku" were played by the court musicians as accompaniment of a dance bearing the same name, performed by the courtiers. The musical instruments used consisted of three drums, three harps and three flutes, all of different description and various other instruments of Chinese origin. Both "Bansharaku" and "Taiheiraku" are themes of the dances accompanied by music, and are performed only at the court ceremonies on happy and important occasions, such as the coronation ceremony, Imperial birthday or Imperial new-year party.

Airs to Be Handled Down to Posterity. The modern Occidental music was played by a grand orchestra of artists of the body-guard band and the Toyama Military School band. The airs were composed for the occasion and will be handed down to the coming generation for use on occasions of similar court festivity.

The guests of the evening were the same as at the preceding banquet, and included the American Ambassador and Mrs. George W. Guthrie. The Emperor, Crown Prince and Imperial princess and princesses all participated.

Beautiful autumn flowers were used for decoration, among them an abundance of gorgeous chrysanthemums of variegated hues and tints. The sonorous and merry tunes of the ancient and modern music enlivened the occasion. The entertainment marked the closing of the coronation ceremonies in Kioto.

\$500,000 Oklahoma Cotton Fire. ALTUS, Ok., Nov. 17.—Cotton valued at more than \$400,000 and the compress owned by the Interstate Compress Co. and valued at \$100,000 were destroyed by fire here early yesterday. More than 8000 bales of cotton were burned, including 3000 bales of uninsured staple, owned by farmers.

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GRADED COURSES FAVORED
FOR THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Prof. W. S. Athearn Outlines Needs
of Pupils at State Convention.

The second day of the golden jubilee convention of the Missouri State Sunday School Association was divided into six conferences, held at the Third Baptist Church, Union Methodist Episcopal Church, First Presbyterian Church, Central Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. The most important conference was at Central Y. M. C. A., presided over by Dr. W. W. Charters, dean of the School of Education at Missouri University. Among the speakers will be Rev. J. C. O'Brien, Kansas City; Prof. W. C. Gibbs, Columbia; Dr. J. H. George, former president of Dury College, Springfield; Herman Bowmar, general secretary of the Missouri State Sunday School Association; Prof. H. E. Tralle, Kansas City; W. B. McGraw, William Jewell College; Miss Martha Suss, Hardin College; Paul H. Beath, Central Wesleyan College; Miss Imogen Lockett, Forest Park University; Miss Jessie Rankin, Lindenwood College.

Prof. W. S. Athearn declared that the curriculum of the Sunday school must meet the needs of the pupils. He prescribed three courses—first, Biblical, for devotional value; second, informational; third, problems of life. "When this is done," declared Dr. Athearn, "there will be fewer religious fanatics and a broader, deeper and more understanding Christianity."

"ACTOIDS" ACT ACTIVELY.
BEST FOR LA GRIPPE.

Civic Association Meeting.

The Young Men's Progressive Civic Association will meet tomorrow evening at Mission Inn. Mayor Kiel will speak at "True Facts in Plain Words Regarding Municipal Government and Good Citizenship." Vincent P. Price, vice president of the National Candy Co., will speak on "Success." The organization is in a campaign for 500 members by March 1. Henry Gieseler Jr. is president and Andrew G. Mungenast is secretary.

Ross-Gould Removes to 810 Olive St.
Mailing lists facsimile letters address 4

PLAYGOERS' GUIDE.

"The Lilac Domino," Shubert. Second week of Andrea Dippel's fine musical production.

"A Widow for Proxy," Park. Comedy by The Players. Little Lord Fauntleroy, Thursday, Friday and Saturday matinees and Friday night.

"Woodland," Shennandoah, by Park Opera Co.

"The Birth of a Nation," Garrick. Photoplay of Civil War and Reconstruction.

Photoplay, "Close to Nature," Olympic. "Close to Nature," views of living creatures of all species and sizes.

Vaudeville, Columbia. Will-ton Lackaye, in "The Bomb," heads bill.

Vaudeville, Grand. Planter's Playfellow head bill.

Burlesque, Standard. "Charming Widows."

Burlesque, Gayety. "Beef Trust Burlesques."

Photoplay, Americana. "The Coward" and three other films.

Photoplay, Kings. "The Lamb" and two other films.

Photoplay, New Grand Central. William Farnum in "Wonderful Adventure."

Photoplay, West End Lyric. Pauline Frederick in "Bella Donna."

Photoplay, Loriel. "The But-terfly on the Wheel."

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Thus it is obtainable only in Wooltex Garments—unexcelled in fabric, style and tailoring.

Pompador Cloth is of a rich, soft, deep, woolly texture; luxuriously warm, yet not weighty like other cloths that approach it in warmth. It tailors beautifully, and is unusually durable.

The Wooltex designers have created specially smart and artistic models in which to produce these

Charming Pompador Coats

Now on Sale at \$25 and \$35

Distinctive, elegant, luxurious, exclusive—and can never become common, because no other manufacturers can get the fabric.

To be found only at the New Wooltex Shop at Vandervoort's.

See these handsome Coats now while assortments of sizes and styles are complete.

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Youth Hurt in Jumping on Car.
Geany Devine, 16 years old, of 5703 Hartner avenue, was injured last night when he fell in trying to board a moving car at the city hospital with a lacerated scalp and it is feared he has concussion of the brain.

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do you need in your purse to shop at our store.

All the fine, new and stylish clothing you want without a penny deposit.

Tear out this coupon right now and bring it to our store. It will be accepted as first payment.



Just pay a small amount in weekly installments while you are wearing the clothes.

We offer these special inducements for Friday and Saturday.

Ladies' Fur-Trimmed Suits, \$12.50 to \$30
No Money Down.

New Stylish Cloth and Fur-Trimmed Plush Coats, \$7.50 to \$30
No Deposit Required.

New Fall Dresses, \$7.50 to \$20
Nothing Down.

Men's Nifty Suits and Overcoats, \$12.50 to \$20

Boys' School and Dress Suits, \$3.50 to \$7.50
No Deposit.

Same Goods Same Prices Same Terms

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East St. Louis Store,
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Fall Excursion

To Points in

INDIANA AND ILLINOIS

Friday, Saturday and

Sunday, Nov. 19, 20, 21

Southern Railway

Destination Round-trip Fares

Hoffman, Ill. \$1.35

Centralia, Ill. \$1.50

Mt. Vernon, Ill. \$1.75

Fairfield, Ill. \$2.00

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Oakland, City, Ind. \$2.50

Huntingburg, Ind. \$2.50

Cannelton, Ind. \$2.50

Rockport, Ind. \$2.50

Jasper, Ind. \$2.50

Georgetown, Ind. \$3.00

English, Ind. \$3.00

Corresponding reduction in fares to intermediate stations.

Tickets will be sold for all trains Nov. 19, 20, 21, good returning on all trains up to noon Monday, Nov. 22.

TICKETS AT THE OLIVE OR UNION STATION

BRITISH STAFF IS HOTLY DEFENDED BY LORD HALDANE

Former Secretary for War Denies Charge That "Muddling in High Places" Cost Lives.

LONDON, Nov. 17.—Lord Haldane, former Secretary of War, and Baron Newton appeared in the House of Lords last night as defenders of the British general staff in France, which was bitterly assailed as incompetent by Lord St. Davids. The Marquis of Crewe, Lord Privy Seal, also replied to Baron St. Davids and the arguments filled a lively session of the House.

The argument opened when Lord St. Davids inquired whether the Government's attention had been called to reports that during the recent fighting there had been many complaints as to failure of staff work. "The speaker" continued that he was informed that the staff was five or six times as large as that of Gen. Joffre, the Commander in Chief of the French force, and that many men who ought to be in the trenches had been added to the staff for no literary purpose.

Baron St. Davids declared that England's sons were being sent out to fight under men who were living at headquarters in great numbers and who were unable to get to their offices early because they had been up late the previous evening playing bridge.

Wants Men to Have a Chance. The speaker continued: "It is about time the men were given a fair chance. More than once the troops have broken the German lines, but, owing to bad staff work, the whole thing fell through. Many lives have been sacrificed, owing to muddling in high places."

Replying to this, Lord Haldane said that Baron St. Davids had made his attack without being fully informed. "That the country has suffered for want of an organized general staff is true," he continued, "but there now has been evolved a general staff of the highest order. To say that the work of the staff is a failure is to say something which is very far from the truth. As for Field Marshal French, he is up at 6 o'clock in the morning."

Baron Newton, while saying that he was not at liberty to disclose the number on the general staff, defended it as capable.

Concerning allegations that success at Toots had been missed owing to failure to bring up reserves at the right time, the Marquis of Crewe said that an inquiry was in progress by the highest authorities that could be called into the case. The Marquis asserted that from his knowledge of Gen. French he did not believe that the Commander in Chief would submit to having persons forced upon his personal staff.

Lord Crewe added that he had no hesitation in saying that unless women had business at headquarters, they ought not to go there. **Lord Fisher Submits Record.** Admiral Lord Fisher, the former First Sea Lord of the Admiralty, made a brief answer to Winston Spencer Churchill's statement in the House of Commons, in which Churchill complained that he had not received from Admiral Fisher, with respect to the Dardanelles attack, the clear guidance before or the firm support after, to which he was entitled.

"Certain references," said Lord Fisher, "were made to me in the speech delivered by Mr. Churchill. I have been 51 years in the service of my country and I leave my record in the hands of my countrymen. The prime Minister has said that Mr. Churchill had said one or two things he had better not have said, and had necessarily and naturally left unsaid some things which would have been said."

"I am content to wait," he added. "It is not fitting to make personal explanations affecting national interest when my country is in the midst of a great war."

Commoners Discuss Conscription. The question of conscription was up in the House of Commons and Premier Asquith expressed hope that the voluntary system of recruiting would succeed, without the necessity of harsher measures. He believed that Lord Derby's earnest appeal, particularly to the young unmarried men of the country, would be availing.

James Henry Thomas, assistant general secretary of the Amalgamated Society of Railway Servants and labor member for Derby, complained that the Earl of Derby's speech conveyed the impression that conscription would be enforced after Nov. 20. That, he declared, would be a violation of the agreement with the labor party. He did not believe that the Government would be able to force a conscription bill through the House of Commons, nor did he believe the voluntary system of enlistment had failed.

Andrew Bonar Law, Minister for the Colonies, said that while at the outset of the war he believed conscription to be the best system, he realized that recourse to it now might cost too much, since it would divide the nation. The whole question depended upon whether, under the voluntary system, all the men necessary to win the war would be obtained. He contended that they could, if the voluntary system were given a fair chance.

Bonar Law ridiculed the idea that Lord Derby intended to suggest that if every eligible unmarried man did not enlist, those who stayed behind would be compelled to join the colors before the married men were called on. What Lord Derby meant, Bonar Law said, was that if there was a general shrinkage among the unmarried men, then they would be made to enlist.

St. L. Plume Co., 620 N. Broadway. Hemstitching, 10c per yd.; 24-hour service.

DRESS UP

Clothing doesn't make the man, but it helps our social and commercial standing to be well dressed; therefore, watch the merchants' announcements in next Friday's Post-Dispatch for the very latest in clothes, shoes, hats and haberdashery.

You Are Invited to Attend a Recital
Thursday and Friday at 2:30 P. M.
Conducted by Mr. Arthur Gabler, Personal Representative for
MR. EDISON.
The New Edison Diamond Disc Phonograph.
A mixed program of better music will be rendered.
(Music Room, Annex Balcony.)



Children! He Arrives Here Saturday!

Boys' Suits at \$4.95

All-wool materials, well made and perfect fitting, full-lined knickers. Some of these suits have two pairs of trousers. Materials of worsted Scotch chevrons and cassimeres; sizes 7 to 17 years. **\$4.95**

Crepe de Chine Blouses

Just received—a great variety of beautiful new Crepe de Chine Blouses, in many new ideas, **\$3.00**



Several smart styles to select from, of unusual good quality crepe de chine. All are exact copies of higher priced models. The interesting newness of these blouses is their simplicity, an unusual touch here and there, either the novel tucking or the small pearl buttons as trimming, or the clever new collars and sleeves. The colors are flesh, maize, white, navy and black. (Second Floor.)

Georgette Vestees

Georgette Vestees, ornamented with fancy tucked effects, high collars, at **\$1.00**

Collar and Cuff Sets

Georgette Collar and Cuff Sets, made of fine materials, in various styles, at **\$1.00**
Fancy Neckpieces of marabou, trimmed with satin ribbon, at **\$1.50**

Dress Goods

\$1.50 Black French Serge
54-inch all-wool Serge, good suiting weight, hard finish, five twill, jet black, much in demand for suits or skirts **98c**
\$2.00 Coating Cheviot
54 inches wide, extra weight, jet black, wide waist, suitable for coats, suits or skirts **95c** (Main Floor.)

This Week's Big Blanket Bargains

This week's big Blanket bargains have attracted wide attention. Thousands of pairs have been sold. Again, Thursday, new lots on sale, they won't last long—better, bigger Blankets.

\$2.50 and \$2.75 Woolen Blankets, 12-4 sizes, white, tan or gray, extra fine, close weave, Nashville make. Special, \$2.00

\$4.50 and \$5.00 White Lamb's-Wool Blankets, 70x80-inch sizes; many pairs cut and bound separately; blue and pink borders, long wool finish, pair. \$3.29

Extra Special! 200 pairs fine California Lamb's-Wool Blankets, large 11-4 sizes, come in natural gray or white, also plaid designs; extra fine, extra sizes, extra weight; made to sell at \$7.00 and \$8.00, very special at, pair. \$5.00

Men's Underwear at 1/2 Price and Less
Messrs. Robischon & Peckham Co. of New York, discontinuing their agency as distributors for the Celebrated Duofold Underwear, sold to our buyer all their surplus stocks of samples, broken assortments and seconds at a figure enabling us to place them on sale at prices of one-half and less.

Lot 1—Men's \$4.00 De Luxe Silk and Worsted "Duofold" Union Suits—Garments of medium and heavy weight, in white and silver gray; all made with perfect closed croch; sizes 34 to 46. \$2.29

Lot 2—Men's \$3.50 Worsted "Duofold" Union Suits—Guaranteed of medium and heavy weight fine worsted, in white and gray; all made with perfect closed croch; sizes 34 to 46. \$1.98

Lot 5—Men's \$2.50 "Duofold" Undershirts and Drawers—"Duofold" medium and heavy weight all worsted Undershirts and Drawers, in gray only; shirts, 44 to 46; drawers, 30 to 46. 95c

Lot 6—Men's \$3.50 "De Luxe Duofold" Undershirts and Drawers—Highest grade "Duofold" Undershirts and Drawers of silk and worsted quality, in gray or white; shirts 34 to 46; drawers 30 to 44. \$1.29 (Main Floor.)



Nugents
Central 3900 Olive 3900

\$15-COATS-\$15

Coats for every woman at this popular price. Splendid warm Coats. This sale comes at a very opportune time. These cold days is just the time you will need a new and stylish coat.

Coats of Broadtail

Coats of Astrakhan

Coats of Boucle

Coats of Corduroy

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Coats of Novelty Mixtures

Belted Models

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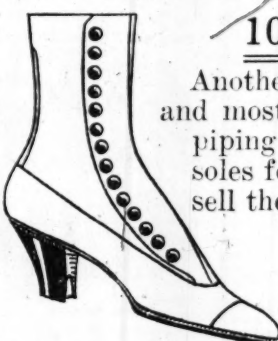
Semi-Tailored Models

Chin Collars, Side Openings, new Belts; some with fur trimmings; all colors and all sizes. (Second Floor.)

Women's WOOL Sweaters

Five excellent models in Women's Sweaters, for utility and comfort; \$3.00 and \$3.50 values, at **\$1.98**

Women's and misses' Sweaters, knitted in plain and fancy stitch, Byron or shawl collars, deep turnback cuffs, side patch pockets with turnover edge, in a wide range of colors. Our Sweater Section is also complete in the better lines. (Second Floor.)



10 Cases of New Shoes Just Received

Another dandy lot of Fall and Winter Shoes, all the very latest and most wanted models, patent and dull kid leather, with white piping and plain stitched, light soles for dress wear and welted soles for street wear. \$3.50 and \$4.50 values. Thursday we will sell them at **\$2.95**

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All Sizes and Widths (Fourth Floor.)

You Should See These Skirts



We plan in our buying and our selection of materials, our styles, etc., to produce the best possible separate Skirt in the city at **\$5.00**.

Choice of 20 styles, in corduroy, checked wool velour, gabardine, chud-dah, men's-wear serge, wool poplin, tweeds, mixtures, in colors of black, navy blue, brown, mixtures, plaids and stripes. **\$5.00** Regular and extra-size waistbands. (Second Floor.)

Linoleum

300 rolls of 50c fine Linoleum and Feltoleum, in neat block, hardwood and carpet patterns—all perfect, at, yd. **25c**

Cork Linoleum

80c 4-yd. wide, real Cork Linoleum; hardwood and tile designs; full rolls; all perfect; at, yard. **50c**

Curtain Scrim

3000 pairs of \$2.00 fine Voile and Scrim Curtains; all 2 1/2 yards long; made with fine lace and insertion; colors are white and ecru. **\$1.00**

BASEMENT BARGAINS

Old Santa is Surely Anxious to Get this Space. 2 MORE DAYS to Close out these surplus stocks.

15c 32-inch Dress Ginghams, in white and colored grounds, with neat colored stripes and plaid effects. **10c**

15c 32-inch Dress Chambray, in plain colors; a good quality for wash dresses. **10c**

10c 36-inch Dress Percale, in white grounds with neat printed stripes, for house dresses, etc. **7c**

5c 27-inch Wool Shirting, in plain colors; best quality, for men's work shirts. **50c**

40-inch half-silk Crepe de Chine, in plain colors, with a rich silk luster; yard. **50c**

Embroidered Jap Silk Chiffon, a half-silk fabric, with dainty colors embroidered in a good quality for wash waists; yard. **50c**

27-inch Imported Bathrobe, fleece, in light and dark colors; all reversible patterns; best quality. **35c**

25c Fleece, in the wanted staple blue and white stripes; 2 to 10-yard lengths. **16c**

21c Jap Silk, a half-silk fabric, in plain colors; good quality for slips and linings. **14c**

38-inch Cotton Challie, in light and dark colors, in Persian and floral patterns; suitable for kimonos and coverings. **10c**

32-inch Striped Saten Ticking, with white grounds; good assortment of patterns. **25c**

15c Ducking Fleece, heavy fleeced, in designs for children's wear, 3 to 8-yard lengths. **9c**

12c Amoskeag Dress Madras, 27 inches wide, in white grounds with woven colored stripes and plaid effects, 3 to 9-yard lengths. **8c**

15c White Domest Flannel, 36 inches wide, heavy fleeced, for all uses. **9c**

15c Kimono Fleece, 36 inches wide, heavy fleeced on both sides, in beautiful patterns. **10c**

10c White Domest Flannel, 27 inches wide, medium weight, heavy fleeced. **7c**

Men's Suits and Overcoats

Our buyer has certainly worked hard. Arriving in New York on Saturday, he shipped us by fast express, another lot of those well-made Suits and Overcoats that we sold out in one day, two weeks ago. These have arrived, are arranged on tables and go on sale Thursday at the same price of the last shipment at **\$9.00**

And men—we have this to say—that you have often paid \$12 for a garment not so good, without a murmur. There are sizes in this lot for men of all builds. Smart looking, swagger Coats for the youth, and dignified Coats for the middle-aged men. Be here Thursday. (Third Floor.)



B. Nugent & Bro. Dry Goods Co., Broadway, Washington Av. and St. Charles St.

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GERMANY GETTING DATA ON METAL SUPPLY IN BELGIUM

Industrial Establishment Ordered to Tell Quantities of Brass and Copper They Possess.

PARIS, Nov. 17.—The Havas correspondent at Geneva says the German military authorities at Ghent, Bruges, Mont St. Amand and Leideberg had

ordered by poster that all industrial establishments, sugar refineries, breweries, distilleries and similar industries must declare in what quantities they possess copper, brass and bronze, and in what form.

The posters demand information specifically as to boilers, rails and casks. The penalty for inexact or incomplete declaration is a fine of 20,000 marks or imprisonment.

WIDOW TESTIFIES AGAINST RELATIVE, HUSBAND'S SLAYER

Mrs. Stoff on Stand Tells How Her Half Brother Killed Stoff in Quarrel.

Mrs. Lizzie Stoff of 330 Texas avenue was placed on the witness stand by the State this morning in Judge Fisher's court to testify against her half-brother, Frank Mueller, charged with second degree murder for shooting and killing her husband, Ferdinand Stoff, Oct. 1, in a quarrel over a dog.

Mrs. Stoff said the two men never had quarreled before, but that they could not agree over a suggested by Mueller that he take a prospective purchaser. Stoff insisted that if anybody desired to buy one of the pups he should look at it in the kennel.

They had a fist fight in the rear yard and continued it in the house. The shooting was in the house.

MRS. PANKHURST DETERMINED TO HOLD HER MASS MEETINGS

Discovery That "Patriotic" Gatherings Were to Have Been Protest Sessions Caused Cancellations.

LONDON, Nov. 17.—Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, commenting on the fact that meetings set for Thursday by the Women's Social and Political Union at Royal Albert hall and at the London Pavilion had been canceled for the reason that their announced "patriotic" purpose was doubted, said: "The inspired attempt to deprive the nation of its right to protest will not succeed. The meetings will be held at a time and place to be announced later."

The announcement of the gathering at Royal Albert hall, contained in a letter by Mrs. Pankhurst, revealed its purpose. It said in part: "The betrayal of Serbia has come as a final tragic proof that neither the honor nor the interests of the nation are safe in the present hands, and that in particular, the Prime Minister and Sir Edward Grey are unfit for the great responsible position they hold. In order to give expression to the prevailing indignation a great meeting is to be held."

The authorities did not act openly against Mrs. Pankhurst's followers, the hall management making cancellations in both instances.

MALLINCKRODT OUSTER ORDER IS HELD UP BY COURT

St. Louis Concern Promises to File Affidavit Concerning Trust Affiliations.

The Missouri Supreme Court in Jefferson City this morning granted a stay of execution of its order ousting from the State the Mallinckrodt Chemical Works of St. Louis, issued because of a refusal by the company to file an affidavit that it was not a member of a trust.

The company had appealed to the Supreme Court of the United States, which sustained the Missouri Supreme Court. The company then in a letter to Attorney-General Barker offered to file the affidavit if the proceeding could be dismissed. The Attorney-General ruled that as the case had been decided, he had no power to act. A motion later was denied, asking the court stay the execution of its order. This motion is filed and the company complies with the Missouri laws.

MRS. SALLIE FARRAR WILL FILE

Her Estate Goes to Daughter, Son and Daughter-in-Law.

The will of Mrs. Sallie C. Farrar, widow of Dr. John O'Fallon Farrar, was filed for probate this morning. She made her home with a son, Charles T. Farrar, at 420 Laclede avenue, and died Sept. 9 at Bay View, Mich.

The will specifies that all of her personal effects and \$15,000 shall go to a daughter, Mrs. Charles H. Goodman, and that this legacy shall be paid before any other bequest. To her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Charles T. Farrar, and her sons, John O'Fallon Farrar, Benjamin Farrar and Frank B. Farrar, she bequeathed \$15,000 each, or such equal amounts as may be available after the bequest to Mrs. Goodman is paid. She will states that because of gifts to another son, William C. Farrar, during her lifetime, nothing is bequeathed to him.

Try Raisin Bread, Free. Coupons at all grocers', Nov. 22, 23, 24. American Bakery Co., distributors.

SEIZED AMERICAN BARK IN PORT

Andrew Welch Is Towed Into Christiania by Russians.

CHRISTIANIA, Norway, Nov. 17.—The American bark Andrew Welch was towed into Christiania today by the steamer Russland.

The bark, which sailed from San Francisco, Aug. 12, for Helsingfors, was boarded by a British Lieutenant and five men from a patrol boat off the Shetland Islands and ordered into Lerwick, but a storm carried the ship towards the Norwegian coast where the Russland took her in tow.

Distinguished Automobiles. Seven-passenger Packard cars exclusively; rates \$5 and \$4 per hour. Excelsior Auto Co., Belmont 2888, Central 606.

BLAST HURLS STONES INTO HOME

Miss E. Burns, an invalid, 55 years old, of 3307 Chouteau avenue, narrowly missed being hit by two stones that were blown into her home by a dynamite explosion yesterday afternoon.

A railroad construction gang was blasting near the Burns home and the stones were hurled through a window and fell near Miss Burns' bed.

COMMISSION GOVERNMENT FOR THIRD-CLASS CITIES UPHOLD

Statute Was Attacked on Two Grounds in Test Suit From Kirksville.

JEFFERSON CITY, Nov. 17.—The Supreme Court en banc today sustained the constitutionality of the statute providing for a commission form of government in the cities of the third class. A test case was before the court from Kirksville, Mo., where C. W. Barnes, lost the office of Marshal when the city adopted the commission form of government in 1904.

The law was attacked on the grounds that it created a fifth class of cities, in violation of the Constitution. Both contentions were rejected in an opinion written by Justice Bond. Chief Justice Woodson dissented, and the other Justices concurred.

Killed Father, Gets 10 Years. HOUSTON, Mo., Nov. 17.—Joseph C. Goode, was found guilty of murder in the second degree today and sentenced to 10 years. He killed his father, Fount Goode, a farmer, in the defense of his mother. The son shot his father who was pursuing him with a shotgun.

MISS TAFT A BRIDE

BALTIMORE, Nov. 17.—A wedding of international interest took place here last night when Miss Christina Marburg, daughter of Theodore Marburg,

became the bride of Jonathan Alidius Warmoldus Lambertus Tjarda Van Starkenborgh-Stackhouwer of Holland, an attaché of The Netherlands legation at Washington. Among the bridesmaids was Miss Taft, daughter of former President Taft.

ANURIC!

The Newest Discovery in Chemistry.

This is a recent discovery of Doctor Pierce, who is head of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute at Buffalo, N. Y. Experiments at Dr. Pierce's Hospital for several years proved that there is no other eliminative of uric acid that can be compared to it. For those easily recognized symptoms of inflammation—as backache, or if uric acid in the blood has caused rheumatism, it is simply wonderful how surely "Anuric" acts.

The best of results are always obtained in cases of acute rheumatism in the joints, in gravel and gout, and invariably the pains and stiffness which so frequently and persistently accompany the disease rapidly disappear.

Go to your nearest drug store and

simply ask for a 50-cent package of "Anuric" manufactured by Dr. Pierce, or even write Dr. Pierce for a free sample. If you suspect kidney or bladder trouble, describe your symptoms to him. Dr. Pierce's chemist will examine it, then Dr. Pierce will report to you without fee or charge.

NOTE:—"Anuric" is thirty-seven times more active than lithia in eliminating uric acid, and is a harmless but reliable chemical compound that may be safely given to children, but should be used only by grown-ups who actually wish to restore their kidneys to perfect health, by conscientiously using one box—or more in extreme cases—as "Anuric" (thanks to Doctor Pierce's achievement) is by far the most perfect kidney and bladder corrector obtainable.—Advertisement.

Jenny & Son

THURSDAY WILL BE Coat Day

The Entire Surplus Stock of COATS

For Women, Misses, Juniors and Children

from The National Garment Co.

At 65c on the \$

Children's sizes 2 to 14 years. Women's Misses' and Juniors' sizes, 15 years to 55 bust.

Silvelines, astrakhan, mixtures, corduroys, boucle, chinillas, broadcloth and plush; fur, self and velvet trimmed.



15c SATEENS

Mercedized lining Satens fast black, 36 inches wide. Special..... 10c

10c FLANNELLETTE

Extra heavy double fleeced outing flannellette (in Basement)..... 62c

60c SHEETS

Made from heavy bleached Sheetling; hemmed and ironed; size 81x90..... 45c

50c TABLE LINEN

Heavy bleached Mercerized Satin Damask; 64 inches wide; beautiful pattern..... 34c

10c CURTAIN SCRIM

100 yards Curtain Scrim, fancy pattern for curtains and draperies; Thursday, a yard..... 62c

55c FURNACE SCOOP

Narrow steel blade, with strong D handle; special price..... 25c

40c LINOLEUM

A choice selection of New Process Linoleum; extra heavy weight in bright patterns of tile and floral effect; sq. yard..... 25c

25c SHAVING STANDS

Nickel finish Shaving Stand, porcelain bowl, good clear mirror and holder for brush..... 10c

INGRAM'S MI KWEED CREAM

Regular 50c jar special for Thursday, at..... 24c

M-M'S \$1.25 UNION SUITS

Heavy flat fleeced lined Union Suits, closed crotch..... 89c

MEN'S 25c WOOL SOX

Heavy blue or gray wool Sox, long ribbed tops..... 15c

19c CORSET COVERS

And Brasieres in all sizes; on sale Second Floor..... 10c

BOYS' \$3.00 OVERCOATS

For larger Boys, 3 to 17 years; convertible collar, belted or plain back; all colors, at..... \$2.40

\$3 LAUNDRY STOVE

No. 1, two-hole, heavy cast iron; will burn any fuel; special price..... \$1.45

79c SILK MESSALINE

Yard wide; all pure silk; and fast black; 79c value..... 55c

LIVES 200 YEARS!

For more than 200 years, Haasem Oil, the famous national remedy of Holland, has been recognized as an infallible relief from all forms of kidney and bladder disorders. Its very use is proof that it must have unusual merit. If you are troubled with pains in the back, feet tired in the morning, headache, indigestion, insomnia, irritation or stings in the bladder, you will almost certainly find quick relief in GOLD MEDAL Haasem Oil Capsules. This is the best old remedy that has stood the test for hundreds of years, prepared in the purest quality and convenient form to take. It is imported direct from Holland and is sold in 25c, 50c and \$1.00 bottles. Your money is refunded if it does not relieve you. Be sure to get the genuine GOLD MEDAL brand.—ADVERTISEMENT.

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JUST in time for Thanksgiving comes this premier economy event. Exceptional price attractions are in force throughout the house.

Extraordinary Thursday Sales**Suits Worth to \$35**

Panne Silk Plush Suits—
Silk Velveta Suits—
Broadcloth Suits—
Gabardine Suits—
American Poplin Suits—

All lined and interlined for Winter service, with guaranteed silk. Many are fur trimmed at cuffs, collars and on bottom of jackets.

\$18.50

Coats Worth to \$35

Velveta Coats—
Saelette Plush Coats—
Corduroy Coats—
Wool Plush Coats—
Broadcloth Coats—
Gabardine Coats—
Novelty Coats—

\$18.50

Dresses Worth to \$35

Evening styles of net—
Evening styles of tulle—
Evening styles of chiffon—
Evening styles oforgette—
Afternoon Frocks of charmeuse—
Afternoon Frocks of crepe meteor—
Afternoon Frocks of silk velvet—
Afternoon Frocks in combinations—

\$18.50

Suits, Coats & Dresses Worth to \$75

Even though the selling has been unusually spirited all week you'll still find plenty of \$55, \$60, \$70 and \$75 garments to choose from at \$35. The styles are extremely desirable; the materials of the highest class; the variety broad and attractive; and the sale price is but a small part of the worth of the garments.....

\$35

Millinery Specials**Trimmed Hats Ostrich Plumes**

Beautiful new selections from our \$7.50 and \$10 lines, in most exquisite styles, colors and trimmings, will be placed on sale Thursday at a special "Birthday Price" of..... **\$5**

Ostrich Plumes, Bands and Pompons, in white, black and all popular colors; values to \$2.00; special "Birthday" Price..... **79c**

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In the Household when you settle the vexed question of what is really good Tea by serving

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\$10, \$11.75 AND \$12.50 VALUES

\$3.98

Sale Price Thursday Only

Coats Suits Dresses

Two-toned mixtures, silk lined boucles, black & white checks, in belted, flare, Balmain and sport styles—all sizes—\$3.98

Suits of all-wool serge, chevots, mixtures and hosiery—tailored and short coat styles—many sizes—\$3.98

Dresses Serge and silk combinations—silk poplins, plain serges, etc.—in a variety of styles—all colors—\$3.98

Coats Suits Dresses

In rich corduroy, seal plushes, velvets, Scotch plaids, English mixtures and all new colors—over 200 different styles to choose from—\$6.98

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Fur-trimmed broadcloths and serges—also plain tailored Suits—all new colors—box coat, military, flared, tunic, etc.—\$6.98

Coats Suits Dresses

Fur-trimmed velvets, silk and serge combinations, silk taffetas, etc.—all new colors—box coat, military, flared, tunic, etc.—\$6.98

Coats Suits Dresses

Exquisite velvets—fur-trimmed silk dresses, rich silk corduroys and imported Hindu lynx and crushed velvets—all really aristocratic in style, beauty and grace—removable and high-necked—values at \$12.98

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Velvet Suits, trimmed with rich furs, also fine chiffon and silk-braced robes—Fancy Willow silk taffeta, velvet and satins with Georgette crepe sleeves, etc.—all new styles—values at \$12.98

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The "fairest" way to Florida is via the "Land of the Sky" country. Go that way and stop off awhile at the fine resorts of the beautiful Carolina mountains.

You can choose your route—via Asheville to Florida, or via Chattanooga and Atlanta; or go one way and return the other.

The "St. Louis, Special" leaves at 8:56 a. m. Electric lighted steel coaches and drawing room sleeping car through to Jacksonville. Sleeping car to Asheville and from Asheville to Jacksonville. New dining car service.

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Ask about the route and stopover privileges and about homeseekers' and winter tourist fares in effect to Florida now via Southern Railway.

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If your old teeth are broken, send it to us and let us repair it.

Alloy Fillings.....50c and up
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PANAMA-PACIFIC EXPOSITION

IS TO BE CLOSED ON DEC. 4

Positive Announcement Made That It Will Not Be Continued Beyond That Date.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 17.—In response to repeated rumors that the Panama-Pacific International Exposition would be continued after Dec. 4, the official closing date, President Charles C. Moore of the exposition today made a positive announcement that it would be closed according to schedule.

President Moore said the attendance figures had passed 16,000,000 Nov. 2.

Try Raisin Bread, Free.

Coupons at all grocers' Nov. 22, 23, 24.

American Bakery Co., distributors.

OVERTURNS AUTO SAYING HIS HAT

Law Student and Lenox Hall Girl Escape With Bruises.

Miss Ruth Markham, daughter of F. W. Markham of 715 Central avenue, Clayton, is suffering from bruises received in an accident while she was riding in an auto Monday night with Orville Ruler of 533 Waterman avenue. Miss Markham is a student at Lenox Hall and Ruler is a student in the law school at Washington University. They were driving north upon Pennsylvania avenue near Shenandoah avenue about midnight when a gust of wind threatened to carry away Ruler's hat. He grabbed it with both hands and the car swerved, striking a lamp post and overturning.

Both Miss Markham and Ruler were thrown to the pavement and bruised.

SOCIETY

THE ballroom at the St. Louis Country Club has been transformed into a garden, even to an imitation stone wall running around the room, for the dinner dance former Judge and Mrs. Daniel G. Taylor will give in honor of their second daughter, Miss Grace Taylor, this evening. There are garden benches, lattices with climbing vines, great urns filled with red roses and box trees all about.

At the dinner there will be two special tables, one for the debutantes of the season, presided over by Miss Grace Taylor, and the other for the belles of the last two or three seasons, at which Miss Jane Taylor will preside. The decorations in the dining room will be in wisteria and pink roses and wild amilax.

Miss Taylor is one of the most attractive of the debutantes. She was a maid of honor at the Valedictorian's ball, where her sister, Miss Jane Taylor, had been queen three years ago.

Through her father she is related to some of the old French families and her mother was Miss Emma Whitelaw, the only daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. George P. Whitelaw, a belle herself not so long ago.

Mrs. John Burton Kennard of 4909 Berlin avenue entertained at luncheon today in honor of her debutante cousin, Miss Jane Shapleigh. The guests, 15 in number, were buds of the season, and were Misses Eulise Higgins, Isabella Wells, Gertrude Madill, Marjorie Douglas, Grace Taylor, Marie Wright, Anne Collins, Marie Church, Elizabeth Holliday, Katherine Pierce, Charlotte Reynolds, Cornelia McNair, Isabel Capen and Mary Lambert.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Harris of 14 Washington terrace are announcing formally the engagement of their daughter, Miss Marian Harris, to Jacob L. Isaacs. Miss Harris is one of the most attractive girls in the Jewish set. She is a graduate of Mary Institute, and spent two years at Lasell, a fashionable school, near Boston.

Mr. Isaacs belongs to a family of that name that has long been prominent in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayward H. Gatch have taken an apartment at 5572 Waterman avenue. They have been at the home with Mrs. Gatch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gilman Miller, since their marriage in May.

Mrs. William Cullen McBride will give a tea at her residence, 29 Washington terrace, Nov. 22, in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Birch Oliver Mahaffey, and Mrs. John Allan Lewis. Mrs. Mahaffey, formerly Miss Laura McBride and after Capt. Mahaffey's retirement from the United States Army returned here to reside.

Mrs. Love is a recent bride and before her marriage was Miss Beatrice Gillan, daughter of Mrs. Frank Barbour of Canajoharie, N. Y.

Mrs. and Mrs. William Dee Becker of 408 Lindell boulevard will give a buffet supper this evening in honor of Miss Arline Clark, whose marriage to John N. Lassen of Port Huron, Mich., will take place tomorrow evening.

The guests will be members of the wedding party, and will include Miss Helen Conrad, who will be maid of honor, and Miss Katherine Bishop of Flint, Mich., who will be bridesmaid; Edward A. Haynes of Port Huron, Robert E. Clark, the bride's brother, and Judson Gibson the best man and groomsmen.

The out-of-town guests are Mrs. M. P. Lassen, the bridegroom's mother, of Port Huron, Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Nettleton and Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Macdonald of Toledo, and Warren D. Clark, the bride's mother, from Pasadena, Cal.

Planters Hotel will serve a table d'hôte dinner in the main dining room on parlor floor, Thanksgiving day, Thursday evening, Nov. 25, from 6 to 8:30 p. m., at \$1.50 per person.

The ladies of the Friendly Aid Club are extending invitations to all their friends for the bazaar next Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edward Harlan, 5863 Cates avenue.

The club affairs always are entertaining, and there will be found all sorts of useful and pretty articles on sale, and a delicious full of good things to eat.

Mrs. C. W. Appleby of Fayetteville, Ark., is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Alonzo Frazer, of 6146 Westminster place, for a few days.

The Liederkreis Club has sent out announcements for a children's party Saturday from 4:30 to 7:30, and in the evening an informal dance for "grown-up children."

The annual sale of the Ladies' Aid Society for the Second Presbyterian Church will be held tomorrow at the church, Westminster place and Taylor avenue. Aprons and bags will be shown in many varieties as well as dainty things for children. Luncheon will be served and light refreshments all afternoon.

The St. Louis Drug Club will give a dramatic entertainment and dance at the Army and Navy club, 3521 Washington avenue, Friday evening. Charles J. Wagner, Harry W. Chaney, Dan F. Chipman, George R. Gibson, William V. H. Posch, Frank S. Klein, Raymond Koch, J. Beckman, C. L. Chittenden, L. A. Seitz, Mrs. J. B. L. Chittenden and Miss Ann Louwing will be among the entertainers.

PEACE SOCIETY MEETING FRIDAY

State Organization, Headed by Richard Bartholdt, to Convene Here.

The annual meeting of the Missouri Peace Society will be held at the Second Baptist Church, King's highway and Washington boulevard, at 4:30 p. m., Friday. The program will consist of reports, the election of officers for the coming year, and a discussion of plans for the activity of the society.

The Missouri Peace Society was organized in 1912, at the time of Baroness von Suttner's visit to St. Louis. Richard Bartholdt is the president, the Rev. W. C. Bittling vice president, and Prof. Manley O. Hudson of Columbia, secretary. It is a branch of the American Peace Society.

FANCY FLORIDA GRAPEFRUIT

CRANBERRIES

HEAD RICE 5c | SWEET POTATOES 10c | POTATOES 19c

CORN 3 for 25c | PEAS 4 for 25c | TOMATOES 7 1/2

BEANS 9c | SPINACH 9c | RED BEETS 9c

ASPARAGUS 10c | HOMINY 8c | PUMPKIN 3 for 20c

PEACHES 10c | MACARONI OR SPAGHETTI 3 lbs. 17c

COUNTRY CLUB MAPLE LAYER CAKE 10c

CATSUP 9c | CHILE SAUCE 12c | RELISH 7c

FANCY PRUNES 7c | MINCE MEAT 10c | DATES 10c

LAYER FIGS 14c | EVAP. PEACHES 7c | EVAP. APRICOTS 2 lbs. 25c

APPLE BUTTER 10c | APPLE JELLY 8c | PLUM JELLY 9c

PET BUTTERINE 20c | SWIFT'S PREMIUM OLEO 23c

CREAM MEAL 10c | ROSS' WHOLE BISCUITS 10c

CORN FLAKES 5c | ROLLED OATS 3 lbs. 10c

PANCAKE FLOUR 9c | LUCKY WHEAT FLOUR 23c

DALE MAPLE & CANE SYRUP 10c | KERO. 10c

DILL PICKLES 10c | PIMENTOS 10c

KROGER'S FRESH-ROASTED COFFEES 40c

JEWEL COFFEE 3 for 50c | FRENCH BRAND COFFEE 2 for 55c

COUNTRY CLUB 40c | WALDORF 25c

KROGER'S UNION-BREAD 2 loaves 5c

SAUERKRAUT 2 lbs. 5c

PEANUT BUTTER 10c

PRESERVES 8c

NAPHTHA SOAP 6 for 15c

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Macaroon Snaps—Graham Wafers

Chocolate Chips 18c

Hanky Panky 12c

Jelly Beans 10c

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PAULINE FREDERICK in BELLA DONNA

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FRANK KEENAN in "THE COWARD"

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1500 Reserved Seats Every Performance 25c

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Produced Realistically—Special Music

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Dustin Farnum in "The Iron Strain"

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A postal will bring one of the men or women who are asking for employment through the situation columns in the Post-Dispatch Want Pages today.

64 SIZE, 4 for 25c

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MACARONI OR SPAGHETTI 3 lbs. 17c

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KERO. 10c

WALDORF 25c

RAISIN BREAD 11c

PORK CHOPS 18c

ROUND STEAK 17c

CHUCK ROAST 13c

OYSTERS 23c

BACON 10c

Marshmallow Cocoa Creams 14c

Iced Honey Creams 12c

Spiced or Cream Jumbles 7c

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What Every Woman Knows

H. B. Spencer Loses Alimony Suit.
Judge Kinsey yesterday afternoon sustained a demurrer to the motion filed by Harlow B. Spencer to set aside the \$10,000 alimony award to his former wife, Mrs. Olive Spencer. Counsel for Spencer immediately filed an amended motion containing practically the same allegations concerning fraud.

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Office Furniture
In great variety of style and price.
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412 N. Sixth

ECCLIASTICS FROM WARRING COUNTRIES GATHERING IN ROME
Their Presence for Consistory Given Rise to Belief That Peace Steps Will Be Discussed.

ROME, Nov. 17.—Cardinal von Hartmann, Archbishop of Cologne, will arrive here soon to remain for the consistory in December. It was officially stated at the Vatican today. That he as well as Cardinal Mercier, primate of Belgium, should attend the consistory, is considered significant, as foreign Cardinals are tacitly exempted from attendance because of the war.

Emperor William, and conducts negotiations directly with the Emperor. Cardinals Gasquet and Billot are on their way here from Great Britain and France, and Cardinal Bégin, Archbishop of Quebec, has arrived. The fact that ecclesiastics from several of the warring nations will be at the Vatican at the same time has given rise to the belief that steps toward peace may be discussed.

Courts Observe Veteran's Death.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 17.—All courts in Kansas City agreed to suspend this morning during a memorial service in honor of James Sherman Bousford, former United States District Attorney for the Western District of Missouri and for 35 years an attorney in this city.

MUNICIPAL DOCK BILL TO BE TAKEN UP ON FRIDAY

Committee of Aldermen Will Arrange for Hearings on Improvement.

A committee of the Board of Aldermen Friday will begin consideration of a bill to establish a municipal dock at the foot of North Market street, the first step proposed by the city administration in an extensive system of river terminals designed to promote river transportation.

The proposed North Side dock is to cost about \$25,000. It will furnish a landing place for packets and barges, and will be equipped with electric cranes to lift heavy freight between freight cars and the water carriers. The proposed municipal steam railroad will furnish track connections with the dock for every railroad entering St. Louis and East St. Louis. Temporary warehouse storage will be provided at this dock, enabling the city to handle more than 150,000 tons of freight a year without congestion.

The proposed dock is a single unit of four that the administration hopes to build at this point as traffic demands increase. Docks have been recommended at five other points, as follows: Chain of Rocks, at the northern city limits; East Grand avenue, north; Valentine street, south; Victor street, south, and Neosho street, south.

Director Hooke and his assistants also have planned an extensive system of rail communication between both sides of the river, via the municipal free bridge, and traversing the levee from Chain of Rocks south to Arsenal street. The waterworks railway, now operated as a steam and electric road between East Grand avenue and Chain of Rocks, will be the northern link in this system. The road will be extended south to Arsenal street over the St. Louis Transfer Railway, as soon as the Board of Aldermen enacts an ordinance accepting the road from the Terminal Railroad Association, which has agreed to relinquish this line to the city at the expiration of its 20-year franchise this month. The city agreed to vacate the streets in the Ranken tract for the Terminal Association as a consideration for the surrender of this levee line, consisting of about 12 miles of track.

Along this municipal railway, it is planned to establish team receiving stations for the accommodation of business houses that are not supplied with rail-road switches. Every industrial establishment in or near the city that has switch facilities will be able to switch its freight to and from the docks via the municipal road, as all railroads connect directly or through Terminal Association tracks with the levee line.

There are at present eight companies operating steamboats between St. Louis and other points on the Mississippi, mainly above here. There is a large line operating between New Orleans and Chicago, via Lockport, Ill., and the Chicago Canal. There is a large line operating between Kansas City and points on the Missouri and Mississippi. Other barge transportation lines are being organized, promoters of which assert that if St. Louis provides river terminals that will permit the interchange of rail and water freight, they will make it a basic point in their operations.

How Project Started.
The project to develop river terminals grew out of a series of conferences with a committee, appointed by Mayor Kiel in pursuance of a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen. This committee finally recommended North Market street as the best site for the initial dock, and Director Hooke completed the plans for this dock with the approval of the Board of Public Service.

Director Hooke investigated the probable initial demand of local industries on river transportation, and estimated the annual traffic at 400,000 tons within a year or so after barge line facilities are provided.

Public hearings will be conducted by a committee of the Board of Aldermen before the dock bill is reported for action. The dates will be announced after Friday.

"ACTOIDS" ACT ACTIVELY.
"ACTOIDS" Cure Constipation.

INTRUDER MAKES A BED FROM NEW CLOTHES IN TAILOR SHOP

He Leaves Rear Door of Place Open and Patrolmen Discover His Rest at 2:30 A. M.

Two patrolmen, making their rounds at 2:30 o'clock this morning, found the back door of S. Sacks' tailor shop, 1218 Pine street, open, and a man was sleeping on the floor at a bed and covered with unfinished overcoats and for a pillow he had rolled up a new coat. "Can't you let a fellow alone?" he grumbled when the patrolmen shook him. "What are you bothering me for?"

On the way to the station the prisoner said he was William Celenka, 35 years old, of 2627 South Eighteenth street, and that he had been drinking. He didn't remember how he got into the tailor shop.

Stove, Range and Furnace Repairs.
A. G. Brauer Supply Co., 316 N. 2d st.

MAN BEATEN IN HOLDUP, DIES

Ferryman Arrested on Charge of Murder.
Farmer of Charleston, Mo., Nov. 17.—Hart Whitehead, a farmer of Bird's Mill, 21 miles east of this city, died in the hospital at Cairo, Ill., Monday, of injuries received when attacked by a party of men the night of Oct. 21.

He was dragged from his horse and beaten into unconsciousness. Whitehead named Emory Brown, 24 years old, a ferryman, as the one who dragged him from his horse. Brown has been arrested on a charge of murder.

GRAY HAIR TURNS ITS NATURAL DARK COLOR AFTER APPLYING SAGE TEA

When Mixed with Sulphur It Darkens So Beautifully that Nobody Can Tell; Takes Off Dandruff.

Almost every one knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and luster to the hair when faded, streaked or gray; also cures dandruff, itching scalp and stops falling hair. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is messy and troublesome.

Nowadays skilled chemists do this better than ourselves. By asking at any drug store for the ready-to-use product—called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy"—you will get a large bottle for about 50 cents. Some druggists make their own, but it's usually too sticky, so insist upon getting "Wyeth's," which can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair and is the best remedy for dandruff, dry, feverish, itchy scalp and to stop falling hair.

Folks like "Wyeth's" Sage and Sulphur because no one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly, says a well-known downtown druggist. You dampen a sponge or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This requires but a few moments. By morning the gray hair disappears and after another application or two is restored to its natural color and looks even more beautiful and glossy than ever.—ADV.

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ARE YOU SURE YOUR KIDNEYS ARE HEALTHY?

Hundreds Are Suffering With Kidney Trouble and Don't Know It. Backache, Rheumatic Pains and Bladder Misery Result.

URIC ACID DEPOSITS CAUSE TROUBLE

NOTED AUTHORITIES TELL WHY POISONOUS WASTE SHOULD BE DISSOLVED QUICKLY.

Every human being is liable to kidney trouble. It steals on us unawares. The kidneys are the most important organs of the human body. They are the little governors of our well-being and comfort. They filter the impurities from the blood, strain all the poisonous waste matter out and purge the system of disease acids and mineral salts.

When the kidneys are clean and free from uric acid poison we are energetic and happy. If they start to clog up with acid crystals and poisonous sediment we are on the borderland of serious disease.

How The Trouble Starts.
Everybody who eats meat has more or less uric acid in his blood. Uric acid is one of the kidneys' worst enemies. It forms a coating of sediment on the filtering membranes of the kidneys that clings like barnacles on the bottom of an old ship.

You can't strain water through a clogged-up sieve, neither can the kidneys strain the poisons out of the blood if the filtering walls are lined with these uric acid crystals. What is the result? The waste matter is forced back into the system and is carried by the blood to all parts of the body. Tiny acid crystals are deposited in the joint and muscles where they don't belong and soon the trouble starts.

How The Crystals Are Dissolved.

The blood goes sluggish; uncomfortable aches and pains begin to make themselves felt in the back and joints and every fiber in the body will soon be crying out that there is something wrong with the plumbing. Unless the danger signals are heeded at once the chances are you will lay yourself open to severe attacks of diabetes, Bright's disease or nephritis.

The proper recognized treatment is to clear the walls of the kidneys by dissolving the tiny acid crystals that keep them from doing their work properly.

The accepted method of doing this quickly and harmlessly is through the medium of the new and powerful dissolving agency known to the profession as Solvax.

Why Solvax Is Recommended.

Solvax is a new and potent combination of medicinal factors that has recently been introduced but which has already achieved a record of remarkable results wherever tried. It goes straight to the seat of the trouble to dissolve the acid and salt crystals from the walls of the kidneys and pass them out of the body. It is harmless, inexpensive and can be procured from Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., the local distributor, or any other reliable pharmacist.

When Solvax starts work a complete change is felt almost at once, as the poisonous impurities are drained from the system, the pains and aches disappear and the kidneys once more perform their work as nature intended.

It makes no difference how long you have suffered, how old you are, or what you have used before, do not despair until you have used Solvax. The very principle of Solvax is such that it is practically impossible to take it into the system without beneficial results.

Be sure you get Solvax. Insist on the name. Take nothing else. Do it now. Don't suffer another minute but visit your druggist today.

How the British Destroy German Under-Sea Boats

Jules Verne nor Edgar Allen Poe in their wildest imagination never conceived such wonders—nor horrors—as mark this present-day naval warfare. A double page tells how Britain fights the terror of the seas.

Another Article Tells of Our Own Little "War" on the Border of Texas and Mexico And, elsewhere, of the warriors of the Gridiron, in

St. Louis' All-Star Football Team of the Last Decade

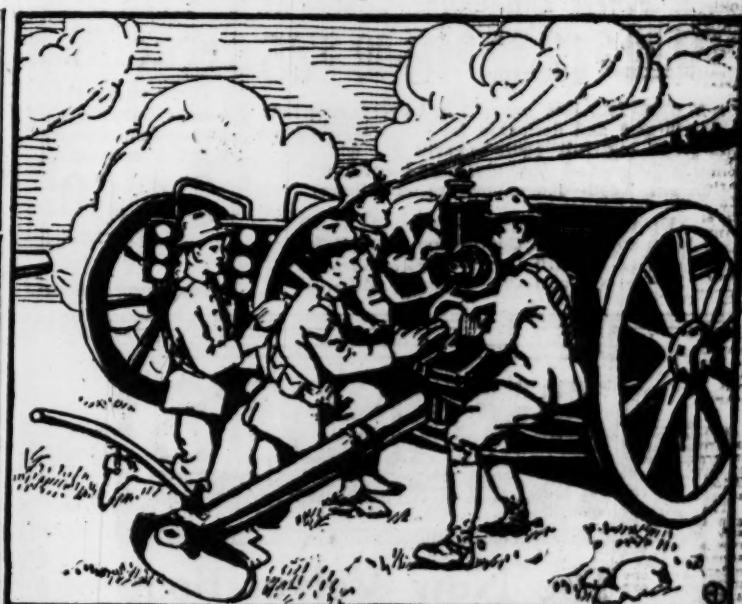
"Shall we let him stay in the United States?" wonders Uncle Sam, over this

Political Refugee and Assassin Who Seeks Protection of U. S.

These are some of the features of the

POST-DISPATCH MAGAZINE

NEXT SUNDAY
—And the Rotogravure Section Will Be Unusually Beautiful.



THE MEN WHO WIN THE BATTLES

must be strong, healthy and robust. If their kidneys were out of kilter the whole fighting machine would go to smash.

CLOGGED KIDNEYS CAUSE MANY ILLS

Those twinges of pain in the back; spots before the eyes; yellow skin; shortness of breath; leg cramps; rheumatic pains; dizzy headaches are mostly always sure signs of kidney trouble.

They often mean that the kidneys are not properly filtering the impurities out of the blood. The only way on earth to permanently and positively relieve such conditions is to remove the cause. For this there is nothing better than the recommendations made for Solvax, the new, inexpensive and quick-acting kidney treatment. It goes straight to the seat of the trouble and is designed to dissolve the uric acid sediment that is holding the kidneys from doing their proper work. When Solvax starts cleaning out the kidneys a complete change is felt immediately. The pains disappear and the whole being brightens up as if by magic.

Get a package of Solvax today from one of the many reliable druggists who have been appointed special distributors throughout the country. Do it now. Don't suffer another minute.

KIDNEY MISERIES QUICKLY BANISHED

The greater part of all sickness today can be avoided by keeping the kidneys working properly. Don't let them clog up with uric acid sediment.

If you suffer with pains in the back, no matter how slight, bladder, lumbar, rheumatic pains, dizziness, tired or worn-out feeling, or any of the many other symptoms of kidney troubles, don't neglect yourself another day and run the risk of serious complications. Secure a package of the new, inexpensive and quick-acting kidney treatment, Solvax, and you will be surprised how entirely different you will feel. It is pleasant to take and is sold here in St. Louis and vicinity by Wolff-Wilson Drug Co. and other reliable druggists.

You run no risk in taking Solvax as it is sold under a positive guarantee to refund your money if it fails, and Wolff-Wilson Drug Co. and other reliable druggists, who sell it, cheerfully agree to comply with this liberal contract. So start today ridding yourself of kidney troubles. Nothing will be gained by waiting.—ADV.

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It is more important now than during the period of profuse perspiration, to keep the pores clean. All cosmetics clog the pores. In cool weather this interference greatly with elimination of waste material, injuring instead of aiding the complexion. Ordinary mercurized wax serves all the purposes of creams, powders and rouges, giving far better results. It actually peels off an offensive skin, at the same time unclogging the pores. Minute particles of scarf skin come off day by day, causing not the least pain or discomfort. Gradually the healthy, younger skin beneath peels out, and in less than a fortnight you have a lovelier complexion than you ever dreamed of acquiring. Mercurized wax, obtainable at any drugstore, is spread on nightly like cold cream and washed off morning. One ounce usually suffices.

For removing wrinkles, without stopping the pores with sticky stuff, here's a never-failing formula: 1 oz. powdered sage, dissolved in 1/2 pint witch hazel. Rub the face in this daily for awhile, every line will vanish completely. Even the first application gives surprising results.—ADV.

Help Digestion

To keep your digestive organs in good working order—to stimulate your liver, tone your stomach and regulate your bowels, take—

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MR. SHORT SPORT: It appears that Shorty is lucky to be alive

By Jean Knott



M'ELWEE SUFFERS BROKE SHOULDER; TO MISS BIG GAME

Central's Backfield Star Will Be Out of Thanksgiving Day Contest.

POTTHOFF IS SHIFTED
Former Fullback, Used at Guard Recently, Will Go in at Tackle.

A recent examination of the injury suffered by John McElwee, a halfback on the Central High School football eleven, in the game with the St. Louis University undergraduate team last week, proved it to be a broken shoulder, a piece of the blade having been chipped.

McElwee has also been shifted to the guard position in the game with the St. Louis University undergraduate team last week, proved it to be a broken shoulder, a piece of the blade having been chipped.

Bothoff Goes to Tackle.
The fullback has been shifted to the line in the game with the St. Louis University undergraduate team last week, proved it to be a broken shoulder, a piece of the blade having been chipped.

St. Louis Boy, Too Clever for Coast
Fighter, Finds Him a Game Opponent

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Pappas and Burns Box Draw Six Out of Eight Rounds Even

Kabakoff Almost Stops Hooker

San Francisco, Knocked Down Four Times, Is Saved by the Bell; He Refuses to Quit When Questioned by the Referee, and Battles Three Rounds More.

By Harry S. Sharpe,
Referee for the Future City Athletic Club and the Post-Dispatch's Boxing Authority.

In my opinion Bobby Burns of Dallas, Tex., and Jimmy Pappas of Atlanta, Ga., boxed a draw at the Future City Athletic Club last night. In the tabulated account of each round kept by me I could give only the sixth to Pappas, and Burns evened it up in the seventh. All the rest were very evenly divided. In some of them Pappas would manage to forge ahead in the first half, and then Burns would take the second. Either this, or vice versa.

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The style employed by both boxers was the same, and this resulted in many collisions, and at times a body was crashed together with an appearance of damage, but at separation it was seen that neither boxer had gained much advantage.

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YALE SCRUBS GET FOUR TOUCHDOWNS AGAINST IARSTV

Harry Legore Is One of Stars in 20 Minute Game With Regulars.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 17.—Capt. Wilson's Yale eleven got a battering at the hands of a Shevlin picked team of ineligible players yesterday. For 20 minutes the Yale scrubs hammered away at the variety line, with the result that they scored four touchdowns. No track was kept of the first downs, as the melee was intended merely to give the Yale forwards, regulars and substitutes a taste of real work before they meet the crimson.

Harry Sharpe's Verdicts
BOBBY BURNS of Dallas, Tex., vs. Jimmy Pappas of Atlanta, Ga., eight rounds, weight 118 pounds, ringside (both under weight) draw.

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SPORT SALAD BY L.C. DAVIS.

There Are Others.

Go to it, Mr. Keogan, with your fifty little crew. The woods are full of coaches who are not as good as you. Remember that the best of them occasionally fail.

Why Not?
Instead of using the regulation billiard tools, they might shoot Willie Hope by making him shoot golf balls with a no handle.

Why, the Ideal!
The Indiana University football team is practicing in a circus tent in order that secrecy may be maintained. The interest is said to be intense.

A Feminine View Point.
We trust Messrs. McGraw and Donovan would be too patriotic to let their services to a foreign foe in the manner suggested in the following letter:

S. A. C. Kickers Want Spaniards to Quit League

Row in Carondelet Division of Municipal Soccer League to Be Investigated.

There is trouble brewing in the Municipal Soccer League, especially in the Carondelet Park division. The row concerns the Southern Athletic Club and the Spanish football club.

The Rejuvenation of Ames.
Haw's a little history about Leon Ames. When Howard decided to attack the tin in L. K. Kalamity, there were no takers in sight.

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FIVE YEARS MORE OF SPRING SERIES GAMES AGREED ON

Hedges and Britton Renew Contract Which Expired This Season.

By W. J. O'Connor.

Here's a Puzzler, Boys.
"WHAT will Yale do to Harvard," is a problem that is now causing many a noodle to buzz, among those who like to speculate, both financially and mentally. In both cases it is highly probable that the more one speculates, the worse off he's apt to be.

Here's the Meat of It.
OLD DOPE backs up against a few facts to form his opinion of Harvard's supremacy. He starts on the basis that Harvard's individual makeup is at least as good as Yale's.

Economists, Attention!
GEORGE GOULDING, world's champion amateur walker, is breaking more records, but not along the line which made him famous. If reports are correct, Goulding is trying to establish a low walking wage limit—and has succeeded.

C. B. C. Will Face Heaviest Team in State on Nov. 25

Kansas City "Vets" Have One Lineman Who Tips Beam at 263 Pounds.

When the Christian Brothers College eleven goes against the Kansas City Veterans College team in Kansas City on Turkey day, there will be at least one "human freight car" in the Vets' line. He is Nathan, right guard, who tips the beam at 263 pounds.

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WRAY'S COLUMN

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teaching the forward pass, hands out this advice: Get your men together. Tell them at the outset that they are the best bunch of football players ever gathered on one field. Show 'em how to use the forward pass—and then tell them they can work it better than any other eleven in the world. Keep telling it to them.

Charley White for Us.
OW owe a debt to Charley White, the Chicago pugilist, who turns in the name Anchowitz, when he reports to the New York Commission, which compels fighters to drop their aliases. Last night "White" plucked Milburn Saylor, the Indianapolis lightweight, and stopped him. It is not often critics form prejudices against boxers, but here's one case where St. Louisans have a right to kick. Saylor put on a flacco with Joe Genall here such as would make a reduction plant seem a perfunctory store by comparison.

Think on This, Gasoline Johnny.
T ONIGHT at a local skating rink one Dan O'Leary, aged 73, volunteered to walk one mile faster than a roller skate can skate 5 1/2 miles. He had a good enough boxer, if he'd do it fairly all the time. He is well advertised by his manager, the "Gothic" Arrow Collar. But he needed a reforming, and he got it. Thank you, Charley.

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ROCKEFELLER SAYS GOLF TEACHES HIM VIRTUE OF HUMILITY

Plays a Round on His Private
Links at Lakewood With
a Reporter.

LONG HUNT FOR LOST BALL

Tells Story of Preacher Who
"Came to Himself" After
Giving Away Shirt.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—William Ingle of the New York Evening World staff played a round of golf with John D. Rockefeller at the latter's private links at Lakewood, N. J. The following are excerpts from Ingle's account of the game:

Mr. Rockefeller was dressed with care. Over a soft gray flannel shirt with a rolling collar he wore a paper vest to keep the wind away; a black golf waistcoat with full sleeves and a lightweight blue sweater. No knickers for him, but ordinary gray trousers with a belt of plain leather. His shoes, tan, with hobnails to keep his feet from slipping on the turf, which would be disastrous.

"Won't you drive off?" he said, and sat down to wait on a long green settee near the tee. When the visitor's ball had sailed away Mr. Rockefeller stepped up on the tee and tapped with his club to show where he wanted a caddy to put a pinch of sand. The caddy pinched the sand and pressed it into shape and set the ball on top of it. He stepped back a few yards.

No False Motions at the Drive-off. Anyone who has waited around the tee for his turn to drive off can remember thousands of otherwise good men who change grip and stance and almost prance in their eagerness to get poised just right, and then tap the ground and waggle the driver with many a wistful flourish as they address the ball again and again. This man was not like any of those. He advanced slowly and planted his feet with care in just the spots that would best serve. For a moment he rested the sole of the driver on the ground behind the ball.

Then he began the slowest back swing I ever saw. Inch by inch the club-head steadily drew away behind the ball, the player meanwhile keeping his head down and his shoulders a trifle bent in his eager concentration. The club-head swung back and up very little above his shoulder, then started for the ball with speed that constantly increased.

"Spot!" and the white little sphere flew down the line of play in a fair drive, not too high, and good for 160 yards, while the player swung through after it until the club-head rose head high. The ball had a slight pull on it, and rolled a trifle to the left, but kept near the middle of the fairway.

How He Keeps His Feet in Place. On the next shot the force of his body swing turned him half around and his foot moved an inch or two. Which reminded me—

"I heard once," said I, "that you used to 'fasten your foot to the ground with a wire croquet wicket in order to keep it from moving as you made the shot.'"

"Yes; I did," he replied. "In my eagerness to hit hard I used to raise my foot. At first I put a heavy stone on it to hold it down; then, finding that was not enough, I thought of the wire wicket. That cured me. Now, when I find I'm lifting the foot I turn the toe in and the heel well out. That keeps the foot in place."

More concentration. From the next tee the fair way has been cut through pine woods for a width of about 40 yards—room enough for a very accurate player but most trying for a slasher. Mr. Rockefeller used his iron from the tee, which lessened the distance of his shot but insured its accuracy. His ball was well in the middle of the course. Mine flew into the woods on the left. I was going to call it out of bounds and tee up another ball, but Mr. Rockefeller said no.

Objects to Giving Up Ball as Lost. "Well find that ball," he assured me. "It would be too bad to lose it, and it should not be hard to find a white ball among the pine needles."

With the help of the caddies we made a careful survey, but not a trace of the ball could we find. I was going on, but Mr. Rockefeller said, "One could see his instinct against waste asserting itself. Through the occasional brambles and sticky vines he thrust his way, and when the caddy actually found the ball he looked well pleased."

"I suppose," said Mr. Rockefeller, as we lingered on the way to the next tee, "that golf is the best exercise for middle-aged and elderly men that ever was invented. I've always been an out-of-doors man. I was taught to drive a horse when I was only seven years old. I can hear my father's voice now: 'Son, keep a snug rein going down hill; any horse can take care of himself on level ground.'"

"I have always been fond of horses; used to drive pairs of speedy horses. Now long ago that seems, when Commodore Vanderbilt, his son, William H. Frank Worth and so many others used to drive trotters on the road! I've pitched quotes too, and found that good exercise; besides doing a lot of gardening and tree planting—all of these things are fine exercise."

"Golf Teaches Humility." "Yet I believe golf the best exercise of all. It is so absorbing. There is just the right mixture of walking and striking. But that is not its best feature. Perhaps the greatest good golf does a man is to teach him patience—yes, and humility. He makes the same mistake for the thousandth time, and learns to make allowances for other men, too. I am sure that golf has helped me in my dealings with my fellow men."

I asked him how he kept so well. "By taking care," he said. "I have always been deliberate, never in a hurry."

'SHAME TO TAX POOR DOCTORS,' LAWYER ALDERMAN SAYS

License Collector Alt Suggests That
Contractors Be Assessed to Make
Up Their Deficient.

Louis Alt, license collector, yesterday advised a special committee of the Board of Aldermen that if the merchants and manufacturers are relieved of paying a license tax it would be impossible for the city to meet the deficit by increasing the license taxes of others, and creating a license tax for lawyers and physicians.

Alderman Udell, chairman of the committee, said a State law prohibited a license tax against lawyers, and Alderman Rudolph, a lawyer, said he would consider it a shame to tax the "poor doctors."

Alt suggested that contractors might be made to pay a license tax that would add materially to the city's revenues.

HELD AS FUGITIVE GERMAN

BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 17.—A man believed to have escaped from the interned German sea raider Prinz Eitel Friedrich at Norfolk was arrested here last night and is being held for Federal officers.

According to the police, the man is a petty officer named Unger. He denies that he is a deserter from the Eitel, but the police declare they found papers in his room proving his identity.

DRESS UP

Clothing doesn't make the man, but it helps our social and commercial standing to be well dressed; therefore, watch the merchants' announcements in next Friday's Post-Dispatch for the very latest in clothes, shoes, hats and hosiery.

And I've always had something to interest me outside of business. Gardening, planting trees, making things grow—or helping to grow them, rather. I exercise in my room every day, besides taking massage. Then golf and motor-ing keep me in the open air a great deal.

"Someone asked me once where I was happiest, and I answered: 'I'm always happiest where I am.' That's what makes happiness. Be interested in your surroundings, and have enough work to do—and wholesome play, too."

Tells Story About Colored Preacher. From the last tee Mr. Rockefeller made a fine, long, straight drive that would have done credit to any player. His second shot, with the midiron, went perhaps 150 yards, and the ball came to rest within 10 feet of the pin. He was happy. He gave his club a flourish as if it were a shilleagh.

"Gentlemen! Gentlemen!" he exclaimed. "I've come back to my real self. I surely have come to myself."

He was smiling and his eyes were twinkling as we went toward the green. "Coming to myself," he said, "reminds me of the colored preacher who was expounding the parable of the prodigal son. He said that after the prodigal had wasted his substance in riotous living he had to part with one rich garment after another to buy himself bread."

After a while he came down to his wretched shirt. So he sold that to buy bread—and then he came to himself."

Good Samaritan Altman's Banquet. The annual banquet of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Good Samaritan Altmanheim will be held tomorrow afternoon, at the home, Jefferson avenue and Dayton street. Luncheon will be served between 2 and 5 o'clock.

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Every Family Has Need for This Splendid Remedy

Compound of Simple Laxative
Herbs Recommended
for Constipation.

When a remedy has stood the test of critical analysis and strong competition for over a quarter of a century and establishes itself as the indispensable household remedy in thousands of homes, it is pretty good evidence of its efficacy.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin has been on the market since 1899, its use being gradually extended until now it is generally regarded by druggists as the staple family laxative. It is a combination of simple laxative herbs, free from opiates or narcotic drugs, gentle in its action and positive in effect. It costs only fifty cents a bottle and can be purchased in drug stores everywhere.

Mr. Frank Klima, of 2309 Ashland Av., Baltimore, Md., wrote Dr. Caldwell recently that he had tried about everything without being helped until he got a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which he considers the greatest known remedy for indigestion, constipation and stomach troubles.

ITCHY BURNING
ALL OVER SCALP

Disturbed Rest. Scratching
Irritated. Hair Fell Out.
Trouble Arrested by

CUTICURA SOAP AND
CUTICURA OINTMENT

"My ailment was scalp trouble caused by bad soap. I had an itchy, burning sensation all over the scalp which often disturbed my rest. I was also troubled with dandruff and my scalp was much irritated by scratching. My hair did not grow and fell out very plentifully."

"The trouble dated back to some five years ago and continued up to a few months ago. I used many remedies before I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment which arrested the trouble immediately. My scalp is now in a very healthy condition and my hair luxuriant and grows very rapidly." (Signed) Mrs. Herman E. Rodine, 807 Clark St., Evanston, Ill., Jan. 27, 1915.

Sample Each Free by Mail
With 3¢ p. Skin Book on request. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. T, Boston." Sold throughout the world.

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\$100,000 PLEDGES FOR CONVENTIONS FUND REPORTED

Results of Canvas Committees
Will Be Made Known at
End of Week.

Subscriptions to the national conventions fund passed the \$100,000 mark today, as shown by reports made to the headquarters of the National Conventions Association. It is expected the other \$100,000 will be subscribed by Saturday night.

The committees which have been making canvasses of the commercial interests and the members of business and civic organizations were instructed not to turn in their reports until they had completed their work.

The conventions association is preparing to wage an active campaign to get personal subscriptions from 1200 wealthy St. Louis men. Letters were sent to these men, requesting them, that notwithstanding the amount of the subscription of the firms with which they are connected, they make an individual subscription. About 300 of the 1200 have responded.

Committees representing the association will go around in automobiles not later than Friday to visit all of the 1200 who have not subscribed by that time.

The \$200,000 fund is the largest to be raised by popular subscription in St. Louis since the World's Fair. Chairman James E. Smith of the association and R. S. Hawes, chairman of the Finance Committee, said that it would be a big boost for St. Louis if the \$200,000 (which) should be fully underwritten this week so that the committees may thereafter devote all their time to rounding up national commitments to vote for St. Louis for the conventions.

Masque Ball and Dance of Vander-voort Empire. Take Place Tomorrow Night.

It is estimated that several thousand employees and friends of Scroggs, Vandervoort & Barney Department Store will attend the grand masque and ball they are giving at Moulsh Temple, Vandeventer and Lindell bl., tomorrow night. There will be a grand march, prizes, music and plenty of dancing.

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\$275 in Prizes at the Doll Show—Get Descriptive Folder

Store Closes Daily at 6 O'Clock

Wool Flannels
27 inches wide, soft finish,
snow white for 22½¢
infants' wear,
etc.; full pos., yd.
Basement Economy Store

Women's \$4 Boots
Women's new mid-
night blue Boots, in
high-cut patterns,
lace or button styles,
leather Louis heels—
special, Thursday, at
\$2.95
Second Floor

\$1 to \$1.50 "Men-
tor" Union Suits
Women's extra
& regular sizes,
fine ribbed
bleached cotton,
in various styles;
Thursday special at
77c
Main Floor, Aisle 7

Men's \$4 Trousers
Fall weights, fancy
worsteds, stripes &
all-wool cheviot pat-
terns; sizes from 29
to 44 waist. Special
Thursday at
\$2.80
Second Floor

Children's
Dresses
Gingham or percale Dresses, in
waist & belted styles, trimmed
with tabs, bows & fancy pipings;
sizes 2 to 6 years,
Thursday
at 3 for \$1
Third Floor

\$29.50 Dining Tables
Quartered Oak Extension
Tables, 54-inch plank
top, 12-in. pedestal, golden
or fumed finish. Special,
Thursday,
\$22.25
Fourth Floor

\$5.95
Portieres
Reversible, silk madras,
in newest self colors, two
tone & fancy
combinations,
Thursday,
pair \$3.95
Fourth Floor

\$7.00 Dress Trunks
With long straps, extra
trays, splendidly reinforced,
protected with 3 slats;
sizes 32, 34,
36 or 38 in.,
Thursday \$4.85
Fifth Floor

\$1.25 In'aid Linoleum
Choice of Joseph Wild &
Co.'s reliable, well-known make
—the imported Scotch & Eng-
lish goods; good range of at-
tractive pat-
terns; square
yard \$85c
Fourth Floor

Boys' Roller Skates
Ball-bearing Roller Skates,
extension, boys' or girls',
nickel-plated; Thursday,
\$1.08
Second Floor

Full Lb. Borax
30-Mule-Team brand,
for pound \$7c
Main Floor, Aisle 5
Colgate's Soap
Natural flower soap, 1 bar
free with each pur-
chase; per cake \$10c
Main Floor, Aisle 5

Famous-Bank
ENTIRE BLOCK: OLIVE, LOCUST, SIXTH AND SEVENTH STS.
Largest Distributors of Mer-
chandise at Retail in Mis-
souri or the West.
We Give Eagle Stamps & Redeem Full Books
for \$2 Cash or \$2.50 in Merchandise—Few
Restricted Articles Are Excepted.

Another Day in the Special Campaign Offering
\$250,000 in Merchandise

Another important listing of illustrated items that are an index to the special value-giving which prevails in the various sections of the store as a result of the campaign of business extension.

The merchandise offered is thoroughly trustworthy in every way & the prices now named are possible only through the GIANT BUYING POWER of our FIVE-STORE MERCHANDISING ORGANIZATION. Shrewd home managers are now providing in this sale at such remarkable savings.

Continuing Thursday This Very Important
**Sale of Men's \$3 & \$4
Sample Soft Hats**
Choice \$1.65
at
It's a splendid lot of Hats; such as men would pick as good values at their regular & intended selling prices.
Our good fortune in securing the sample line of a well-known hatmaker transpires for the profit of men who come & share in this sale.
Not a Hat Worth Less Than \$3
Practically every desired style, in all the wanted colorings, with plain or fancy bands, & in sample sizes such as 6½, 7, 7½, to which have been added many others from our regular stocks making the selection wide enough to meet with approval from every man.
Main Floor, Aisle 9

Men's Half Hose
Fiber silk, in black & various
colors, also fine cashmere in
slight seconds, black or natural,
25c grade;
pair \$1.4c
Main Floor

Women's Wool Sweaters
Misses' & women's
all-wool fancy Knit
Sweater Coats, trim-
med with collars &
pockets—colors card-
inal, gray, green &
Oxford—sizes 16 to
46—Thursday,
\$3.75
Third Floor

Girls' \$3.95
Rain Outfits
Tan double tex-
ture Raincoats, with
tan hats to match &
a special roll for
school books; pack-
ed in a holly box;
sizes 6 to 14 years.
Thursday special, at
\$2.95
Third Floor

Women's 49c Aprons
Percale, Ging-
ham, Chambray
Aprons, attractive
patterns in square
or round neck, open
back or open front
styles—special,
Thursday at
37c
Third Floor

\$12.50 to \$15.00 Rings
Brilliantly cut, genuine
Solitaire Diamond Rings—
men's heavy solid gold bel-
cher settings or in skeleton
settings for women; diamonds
average 10-100
carat, at \$7.95
Main Floor, Aisle 5

Men's 65c
Nightshirts
These are made of Amos-
keag outing flannel, cut long
& wide, military or attached
collar styles, good
patterns, 16 to
20 sizes, Thurs-
day special \$4.9c
Main Floor, Aisle 10

Boys' \$3.00 Shoes
Box calf, button & Blue-
er styles, with the "Tel
Til" indestructible tip.
Goodyear welt \$2.60
Thursday \$2.60
Second Floor

\$10.50 100-Piece Dinner Sets
With Cut Glass Salt & Pepper Shaker, including
bread & butter plates & fast stand sauce boat.
White & gold or
dainty floral pink
spray decoration,
plain shape,
\$7.50
Fifth Floor

\$1.75 Oval Roasters
Large size, oval, self basting Roasters, of
dark blue enamelware, Thursday special at
98c
Basement Gallery

75c Wash Tubs
Large size, heavy galva-
nized, best quality
ware \$54c
Basement Gallery
35c Coal Hods
Galvanized, 17-inch
size, strong ball; Thurs-
day \$22c
Basement Gallery

\$1 Comfy Slippers
Women's new Comfy Slip-
pers, in various colors, all
sizes; special,
80c
Second Floor

Today's Times
Tells of wonder sav-
ing chances in our
**BASEMENT
ECONOMY STORE**
Exclusive St. Louis Distributors Everwear Hosiery

Want a Monthly INCOME
from a Good Piece of Property?
—Begin by buying a HOME!

232,514 House, Home, Real Estate and Farm Ads
were printed in the Post-Dispatch during the first
10 months of 1915—25,432 more than appeared in
the two nearest competitors combined.

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HOME SEEKERS' HELPS

At Your DRUG STORE or
REAL ESTATE OFFICE

The POST-DISPATCH HOUSE, HOME and REAL
ESTATE GUIDE is free for the asking. 4000
PIECES OF PROPERTY to select from.
See the BUNGALOW PLANS in this week's issue.

MOTHER AGREES TO LET BABY BORN A DEFECTIVE DIE

Chicago Woman Believes This
Is Better Than a "Barren
and Useless" Existence.

GIVEN OVER TO NATURE

Operation Would Assure Life,
but Would Not Remove
Mental and Physical Defects.

By Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Nov. 17.—Mrs. Anna Bol-
linger told today of her consent to let
her 6-day-old baby boy, deformed in
body and mind, die rather than live a
life "barren and useless."
The mother, confined to her bed in the
German-American Hospital, agreed with
Dr. H. J. Halseiden, chief of the hos-
pital staff, to sacrifice the child when a
simple operation would assure its life.
The infant, if it lived, would, in the
opinion of Dr. Halseiden, be a mental
and perhaps moral defective. He there-
fore, with the consent of the child's pa-
rents, declined to perform the operation.
Death is expected to take the infant
within 48 hours.
"It is not heartless of me," Mrs. Bol-
linger said. "I loved the poor little de-
formed one as I love my three other
healthy children. But the doctor told me
it would be a cripple all its life—prob-
ably an imbecile and possible criminal.
I gave my consent to its death. Left
to itself, it has no chance to live. I con-
sented to let nature take its course."
"No one need to think me an unnat-
ural mother. This poor little one, if al-
lowed to live, would be barren, useless.
It is one of nature's blunders, and I am
willing that nature correct its error by
my baby's death. I am satisfied I am
doing right."

The child's father is a street car re-
pair foreman.
Doctor Defends Course.
Nurses at the hospital took the view
of the doctor and the mother. Of a score
consulted, one alone voted for the life
of the child.
Dr. Halseiden said he was prepared
to face bitter criticism and defend his
course. "I have no doubt that I shall
be called a murderer," he said, "but the

Movie Actress, Former St. Louis Girl, to Wed a New York Man



NEW YORK, Nov.
17.—The marriage of
Miss Naomi Childers,
formerly of St. Louis,
a well-known moving
picture actress, to
Howard D. Shattuck,
assistant general man-
ager of the Schrafft
Confectionery Co., will
take place in June.
Miss Childers yester-
day announced her en-
gagement. She has
been a member of the
Vita-graph Co. for
several years.
Miss Childers met
Shattuck two years
ago when with her
friend, Miss Dorothy
Kelly, she went into
the Fifth avenue
branch of the confection-
ery company.
Miss Childers and
her mother, Mrs. J.
D. Childers, reside
at the Madison Ho-
tel.

infant's death is a question between me
and my conscience.

"I'm answerable to my conscience.
The boy's physical flaws—a number of
rather unusual ailments—would make
him an invalid during his first year and
probably a defective later, if he were
allowed to live.

"And so I'm doing what the parents
have given me option to do. I'm al-
lowing nature to take her course. We
are feeding the child some. It is sen-
sible only to discomfort. There is no
brain development to register suffer-
ing. Soon nature will make blank her
mistake."
"Is this not taking a human life?"
he was asked.
"Absolutely not. Many say, arbit-
rarily, that life is life and should be
preserved, no matter what the cost, but
I cannot see the argument. If, having
been given this case to decide, I should
allow the child to live, I would con-
sider myself guilty against the race. As
it is, I consider that I am doing a favor
to the race."

View of Many Doctors.
"Is this done frequently by surgeons
and physicians?" the surgeon was
asked.

"Many times, but quietly. Many things
go on in the medical business which are
done solely for good, but which might
be condemned by so-called moralists
and self-named social saviors."
"I have even taken the sterilization
of subnormal girls and boys into my
own hands—of course, with the parents'
permission—and I know I have been
right. I just feel I'm right, that's all.
What more can any human being do
when trying for conscientiousness in
duty?"

Description of the Case.
In order to form an opinion as to
the wisdom of the doctor's course it is
necessary to give a complete medical
description of the case, which Dr.
Halseiden supplied as follows:

"There is no doubt that this child is
mentally abnormal as well as physi-
cally deformed. The brain itself is only
slightly subnormal but the cranial
nerves are absent or undeveloped. The
symptoms point strongly to brain
trouble. There is no ear on one side
and the ear on the other side is mal-
formed. There is a deformity of the
chest and a deformity of the nose. The
neck is lacking. The ears are on a level
with the shoulders. The deformity which
will eventually cause death, however, is
the closure of an intestinal tract. There
is no natural outlet of the bowels."

Humane Society Officer's View.
George A. H. Scott, secretary of the
Illinois Humane Society, when asked
about the case, said no law could com-
pel parents to have an operation per-
formed on a child, but in case of a
minor operation to improve the health
of a child, there was a law. Since the
child was in a hospital, in this instance,
and was being fed and attended to,
there was no cruelty attached. As to
whether the life of the infant should
be saved, that was a matter of individ-
ual opinion.

"What right has this doctor to take
a human life?" asked Miss Jane Addams
when she heard of the case. "No human
being has a right to take the life of
another, whether defective or not. How
do we know who is defective and who
is not, and especially a little baby?
Every being is born into this world with
the inherent right to have a chance to
live. This physician is an enemy to the
human race."

HOW DOCTORS HERE VIEW CHICAGO CASE

A Post-Dispatch reporter, inquir-
ing the opinions of St. Louis physi-
cians as to the Chicago case, obtained
the following statements:
Dr. E. W. Saunders: "If physicians

to make every effort to give him that
hour.

"There is a difference between destroy-
ing life by an evil act, and emitting
acts which might prolong life. The
former is never permissible, and calls
for moral censure and legal punishment,
the latter is not legally actionable, and
may be morally justified in exceptional
circumstances; but I would say that a
consultation is desirable when such a
question arises. Without more detailed
knowledge of the facts in the Chicago
case, I can neither condemn nor approve
the decision reached there. The ques-
tion there seems to be whether it is the
physician's duty to preserve a life which
has no chance of health or normal de-
velopment."

Dr. W. P. Gleason: The operation
should be performed. It does not lie
within the province of any physician
to say that a child shall die. Some be-
lieve there is a line of demarcation
in such cases, but I do not know
anyone who is authorized to say
where such a line lies.

Dr. J. J. Kane: The physician's mis-
sion is to assist, to heal and to pre-
serve. The most deformed or besotted
person has the right to life. This
should be particularly true in a land
where men are free and equal before
the law. It is not right to permit
this child, or any child, under any
circumstances, to die without doing
what can be done to save its life.
The humanitarian view and the
Christian view both forbid such a
course. I believe most physicians
will agree with me in this, for I
know that physicians, as a class, are
humanes.

Dr. W. T. Conklin, of the city
hospital visiting staff: Any physician
who neglects to perform a necessary op-
eration is guilty, when death comes, of
willful murder. The physician has no
right to decide a question of life or
death, and for nurses to set themselves
up as judges in such a case is wholly
wrong. In this case, it is said that the
child's cranial nerves are absent or un-
developed. The physician cannot know
this to be the case—it is merely guess-
work, based on external indications.

Dr. F. A. Baldwin, City Bacteriolo-
gist: No one physician should take it
on himself to decide a case involving a
human life. There may be some cases
where a negative decision would be just,
but such a decision should be given
only by a medical commission of the
highest standing. Nurses should not be
consulted in such matters. The ques-
tion naturally depends on the degree
of monstrosity. In this case, from the
descriptions given, I would judge that
the child would die, operation or no op-
eration.

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JOSEPH PULITZER.

April 10, 1907.

THE ALIEN POLITICAL ISSUE.

Frederick F. Schrader in The Fatherland. Wherever the test was applied whether the people were prepared to endorse Mr. Wilson's one-sided neutrality and his policy of sacrificing the interests of the United States to the upbuilding of English prestige, English commerce and English victory, the answer was an emphatic No! and his spokesmen were ignominiously defeated.

His organs are trying hard to cover up the truth. They ascribe their defeat to any cause but the right one. They have so long misrepresented the situation, as tools of the money lenders and ammunition makers, that they dare not incur the ridicule of their readers who still have a capacity for thinking. But the facts are too plain to be successfully disputed.

The American people are not back of the President, and the vast body of voters which has been malignantly persecuted with charges of disloyalty for daring to assert their right of holding opinions not prescribed for them by the Anglo-hyphenated press and the Anglo-hyphenated administration, have turned upon their persecutors and declared their independence of party organizations and party leadership.

The result of the election in the Twenty-third Congressional District of New York was not an isolated instance of this revolt.

This district in the last regular Congressional election gave James E. Goulden a Democratic majority of approximately 6300 votes. Goulden had carried the district six times by safe Democratic majorities. He died, and in the by-election of Nov. 3 the Democratic nominee, Healy, a nephew of Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, was opposed by the Republican nominee Bennett. There was no personal objection to Healy, but the issue between the candidates was clearly drawn.

Healy stood for the President's neutrality; he made his campaign on "patriotism"; he offered to stand or fall by the policies of the administration which have been so fruitful of disunion and have been denounced as un-American by all who believe in the principle, "America before England."

Bennet accepted the issue. He announced his standpoint to be in direct opposition to the policies of the administration.

With a normal Democratic majority of nearly 7000 staring him in the face, the fight was waged on these questions, and Healy was defeated.

Something like 13,000 votes were changed in that district in the Congressional fight, while the local Democrats were elected by large majorities.

The district is divided into three Assembly districts. The three Democratic Assembly candidates were elected by a relative vote as follows: 11,176; 9,811; 10,832-6840; 12,310-4245—a total of 34,008 Democratic against 20,898 Republican votes on a normal showing.

In other words Healy was defeated by his Republican opponent on the Wilson issue in a district which gave a majority of 13,112 for the Assembly candidates of his own party.

The defeat of Healy was due to the intelligent campaign work of the Germans and Irish in that district. The forces were well organized and a house-to-house campaign was early inaugurated, in which those believed to be interested in rebuking the Wilson policies were personally seen, appealed to and pledged to vote for Bennett. The work was done quietly but effectively under the auspices of the American Truth Society. The real strength of the opposition was concealed until election day.

And this plan should be adopted everywhere where the German element and its friends opposed to Mr. Wilson's obsequious surrender to Wall Street and England may hereafter be called upon to marshal their forces.

Cincinnati piled up the largest Republican majority for Mayor in the history of the city. The Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune of Nov. 3 briefly indicated one cause of the slump; it said:

"This is a German-American city, and the belief that the Wilson foreign policy is unneutral prevailed."

In Massachusetts the German element voted for the Republican candidate for Governor, and McCall's election is a victory for the opponents of the Wilson administration, which was severely keel-hauled by McCall. Though normally a Republican state, the Democratic candidate, Walsh, was twice elected Governor over a Republican and is personally a popular man with the masses. In Kentucky the Democratic candidate was elected Governor by approximately 327 votes, and these were furnished by Louisville, the state giving a round Republican majority. Kentucky is safely Democratic under normal conditions. In Maryland the Wilson candidate for Governor ran 7000 ballots behind the vote cast for J. W. Smith only a year ago, and was elected by a narrow margin.

The American people of German antecedence and the many Irish who see in the policies of the administration a betrayal of American interests in favor of England and a one-sided neutrality that is supported by hypocrisy as well as calumny, and who demur to the traffic in murder instruments protected under a specious plea of fair play for all sides, have taken the first opportunity to register their protest.

The country is full of politicians who will not see the handwriting on the wall. The German-Americans—that is, those whose ancestors came from the German lands—are true to their blood. Mr. Wilson may lecture them and speak of divided loyalty, but they read in Mr. Wilson's own biography that he is a hyphenate. They will not accept his definition that there are no hyphenates in the United States save those who owe their origin to Germany. It is impossible to ignore the fact that he himself is influenced by the conjunction of circumstances that made him the son of a mother who was a native of Great Britain. And that the Germans have not forgotten their duty as they see it under the appalling political circumstances created by the administration is apparent from a Washington dispatch in the New York Times in which it is clearly shown that the Pennsylvania Germans, whose American ancestry dates back to 1622, were alive to the issues ending in the election of Nov. 3.

THAT PARK ENTRANCE.

The strong protests against Park Commissioner Cunliff's plan to change the Lindell entrance to Forest Park should warn the Park Commissioner and the Public Service Board to avoid haste in beginning work.

There should be at least a fair public hearing on the radical change affecting such important public property as Forest Park and an entrance used by thousands of citizens.

Before any work has been done there should be an assurance that the entire sum needed to complete the work will be appropriated for the purpose. The amount should be appropriated to avoid any possibility of its abandonment or delay in its completion.

Without criticising the beauty of the plan from an architectural and landscape standpoint, there is a question of the appropriateness of a formal elaborate scheme at the entrance to a park of the character of Forest Park and at a spot offering such great natural beauty of landscape. The view of the park from the entrance is so charming that a formal architectural and sculptural treatment might detract rather than enhance its attractiveness. It is difficult to improve, but easy to spoil the simple effect of grass, flowers, trees and the grove vista of the park. Simplicity is the thing there.

What about the traffic which congests at this point?

No provision seems to be made to help the traffic regulations in the new plan. On the contrary, the plan complicates the vehicle traffic problem and threatens danger to pedestrians trying to enter the park.

What about the money?

Some of the park roads are so badly in need of repair that it would seem to be the point of wisdom to let the unnecessary change in the entrance go until the roads are mended.

With a few changes the present traffic regulations will work admirably. For a few thousand dollars the present unsightly, roped circus ring can be made into a slightly grass and flower plot and the contiguous roads widened where needed.

Let us be sure what is best and what we want before going ahead on a costly and problematic experiment.

HOW IS ELSTON SCOTT ENJOYING IT?

Gov. Dunne's efforts to compel executions at Murphysboro, Ill., to be conducted in accordance with the law are, of course, being watched with general approval and satisfaction. But how is Elston Scott, the condemned negro, enjoying the contest between Governor and Sheriff? He has been twice relieved while the two important officials have played football with his case.

Scott should be put out of his suspense. If he cannot be so hanged as to uphold and vindicate the majesty of the law, he should be sent to the penitentiary for life under commutation.

The hornets lit on Churchill before they reached the Zepplins.

POLITICAL HUSBANDS—FOR LIFE.

Who does not sympathize with the tribulations of an old practical politician whose wife sues to divorce him on grounds of neglect, nonsupport and the like? Nobody is an easier mark for divorce than the old political war horses, who spend their lives trifling with public affairs and letting private duties attend to themselves. For the wives of such hapless veterans divorce seems to have been specially designed.

It would be less tragic if some such remedy existed for the public, for parties and voters. Often the same causes exist, of neglect and infidelity to public interests or party causes, but the means is wofully lacking to be rid of the useless "practical" politician easily, painlessly or permanently.

His public failings may be as notorious as his private virtues are traditional, and although the public prides itself on being unforgiving it is in reality much more patient and long-suffering than the average abused woman who asserts her rights. Parties, the people, barely cry out while they take their beatings from brutally selfish or blindly inconsiderate men, political husbands, who fasten upon them "till death do us part."

As the supreme example, see how the Democrats of this country have suffered for 20 years from the selfishness, cruelty, neglect, infidelity, wife-beating and overbearing preaching, scolding and nagging of William Jennings Bryan—and where is the remedy?

If we fail to get the conventions it will be through contributory negligence.

DIPLOMATIC CAREERS FOR WOMEN.

Miss Pressley Smith has just been appointed secretary of the British legation in Norway, a country where women have a large participation in politics.

It must be assumed, of course, that Miss Smith is a new woman. Still, it is hardly probable that she qualified for the tactful duties of a diplomat through affiliation with that group of British new women who broke 20,000 windows in London, horsewhipped Winston Churchill twice, threw bricks at John Redmond, smashed glass cases in the British Museum, blew up the coronation chair in Westminster Abbey, pelted the King and Queen with missiles, poured molasses into street mail boxes, damaged pictures in the national art galleries, destroyed \$5,000,000 worth of property through incendiarism and made necessary 5000 arrests by the police.

Diplomatic careers having been definitely opened to women in this appointment of the first feminine secretary of legation, probably there will never be a time in the future when women will not be found discharging important duties in the British foreign service. The American Government has 39 secretaries of legation, besides half a dozen or more officials classified as second or third secretaries. Not one of these desirable positions is filled by a woman—not even by the daughter or sister of an Ambassador or Minister.

While we have 12 states in which women vote, it remained for the British Government to give the first woman a legation job of this rank.

Ladies of Wyoming, Utah, Colorado, Idaho, Washington, California, Arizona, Kansas, Oregon, Nevada, Montana and Illinois, don't forget the Miss Pressley Smith precedent.

"AMERICA'S AMBITIONS."

"America is trying to march on Europe, while we are at war," writes the Vienna Freie Presse in a four-column leader. It says:

The yankees have many ambitions; and foremost among them is the desire to take from us the South and Central American trade, which cost us a century's endeavor to build up. The writer sees little prospect of realizing that ambition.

The American has an inflexible spine; he will not conform himself or his wares to the whims and fancies of his customers. He wants people to buy his goods as they are. In fact so little will he bend to circumstances, that he will not even learn his customers' language, to make dealings easy, but insists on the other fellow's learning English, if he wants to deal with him.

The second object of American ambition, according to the Freie Presse, is to dispense altogether with European goods:

Already factories are going up all over the United States to produce goods which have always been on the list of indispensable imports from Europe. Clearly the intention is to leave Europe high and dry after the war.

The third ambitious plan is to fill Europe with American goods after the war. Europe is depleted in raw materials, many of them having gone up in smoke; nor has she the requisite number of skilled workmen to rehabilitate her manufactures:

America sees in this condition a fine opportunity to sell us not only raw materials, but even manufactured goods. But will she succeed? Will anybody believe us to be such stupid as to invite into our countries the one who seeks to despoil us, and bid him to fatten on our needs? True we now have a debt of \$150,000 on every head, and that figure may become doubled before we are through. But call in American capital, American goods to make our wheels spin, never!

The writer claims to have certain knowledge of America's "flirting" with the Swadeshi movement in India, whose objective is the elimination of trade with England. In fact he claims that American money has been offered to finance the economic revolution there; and to divert the Indian export from London to New York:

America expects to become the center of the world's trade; to tie all the nations hand and foot by loans. England and France are already in her fetters; now she expects to get also India, and later Germany and Austria-Hungary, if not Italy and the Balkans. She would like to pose as the creditor-nation of the world. But America will never control the world's markets, primarily because she seems to have an unwritten law not to build up her own a mercantile marine. She will have to carry her merchandise, we shall have the advantage. America has had several jogs in that direction, but she has always and will now back down before the phantom of a merchant navy. Far from getting American capital to help us rehabilitate our industries, America will soon again come to us to finance her many enterprises, as in the past.

The article concludes with a sarcastic panegyric of Europe's needs and America's opportunities. It says:

With Europe burying prematurely her best men, and loading herself down with debts which a century may not be able to pay off; with trade stagnating, that has forgotten all the world and all previous connections; with all the perspective of harder times still to come, lack of money, lack of employment for lack of capital to operate, what a glorious chance for America to step in and skim the milk in the world's picher! But we are still competing; and we shall win!

Those frank statements of American weakness, particularly in merchant shipping and in methods of trade are excellent hints for Americans. We know what we have to do to accomplish our ambitions.

ANTHROPOIDAL HONESTY.

Scientists of the Darwinian persuasion will note that the big ape in the Bronx Zoo has been convicted of theft. Treated as a trusty and given the freedom of the keeper's house the ape stole a number of valuables, including a pocketbook. He did it so subtly and concealed his crime so well that nobody suspected him for a long time. A man was suspected. Finally the ape's thumbprints revealed his guilt to the Bertillon experts.

Does mankind come by his thievery honesty?

THAT FUNNY MONEY.

Something is the matter with that money at the city hall—that \$225 which nobody will claim. They found it in an envelope in a safe in the Water Rates Department, to all appearances perfectly good, respectable currency; but it is shunned as though it had an evil past. Inmates of the city hall who have been questioned about it declare it isn't theirs and refuse to touch it. It has been taken into custody by the Circuit Attorney. O tempora, O mores!

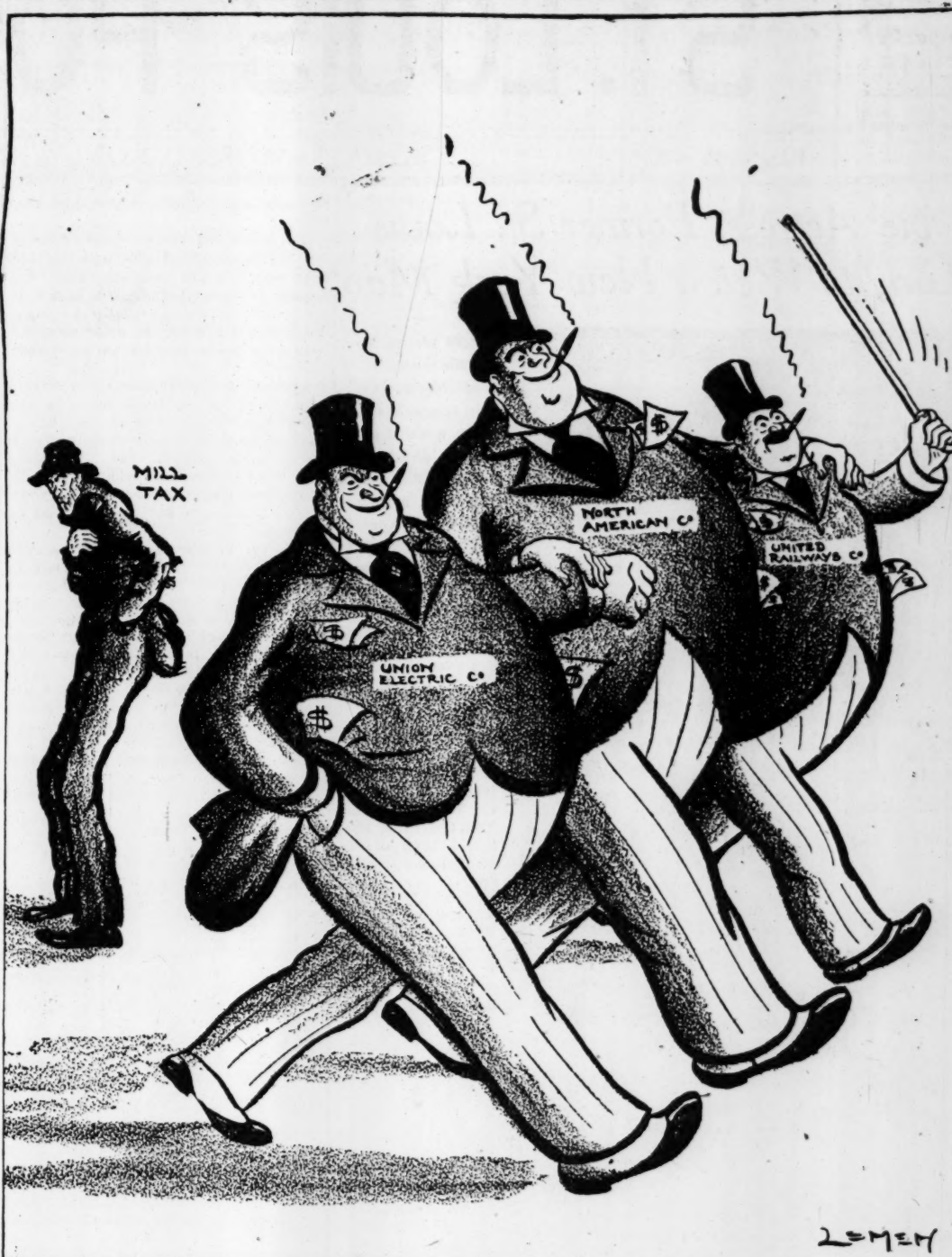
Has it had a mad career as a corrupting influence and promoter of crime? Unless it can give a satisfactory explanation of itself, or will turn State's evidence and testify against somebody else it ought to be sentenced to the penitentiary on general principles and put in solitary confinement.

HATRED AS A STEADY DIET.

The Frankfurter Zeitung, admitting that it is worried over the food shortage in Germany, relies upon hatred of England to sustain the hungry people. "This hatred," says the editor, "is so potent that it will nourish and sustain us."

One cannot help sympathizing with hungry people in their feeling towards those they hold guilty of attempting to starve them. But German psychology having taught us, among other things, that all passions have a physical effect on the human body, and that hatred, for example, is an active poison to the nerves, the editor of the Frankfurter Zeitung appears to be inaccurate in his language, at least, when he says that hatred "will nourish and sustain us."

Intense hatred may enable one to win a fight, but, if the psychologists are correct, it will be in spite of its admitted physical effect. But the fact is that this much-talked-of hatred does not exist among the actual fighters, which probably accounts for their feeling strong and well in spite of their hardships and perils.



"OUR FAMILY NEEDS IT ALL."

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH
by Clark McAdams

THE KING.

I.
THINK you of King George, that royal figure-head—
He is not mentioned when the land debates!
Or what his judgment is, or what he said,
They are not saying, that the news relates.
Was there a blunder at the Dardanelles?
By whose advice was that unhappy fling?
Or what of strategy, and men, and shells?
All that is quite beside the King!

II.
THE King, one fancied, is that one who leads
His host to battle when the times are
dread;
Who rides before upon the best of steeds,
And waves his sword above his royal head!
There are such monarchs, too, if one but sees;
Their hands are heavy, and their pulses thro;
But the King of England is not one of these,
Nor is the battlefield his job.

III.

THE crown of Albert shines among his men,
And old King Peter leads his little band,
The warlike Kaiser is the like of ten,
And even Nicholas defends his land.
But what of England? There the King looks on
From war and council by his birth exempt;
A weakly figure with his sword undrawn—
Object of pity and contempt!

A CHALLENGE FOR SOUSA.

"Thomas McGrath, manager of the Grand Saline (Texas) Cornet Band, writes us to ask that we challenge Sousa's organization for a championship competition.

"Our band," writes Mr. McGrath, "is the greatest one the town ever knew. We play everything from 'Siegfried's Death,' by Dick Wagner, to 'Shoot Him in the Trousers, Officer; the Coat Belongs to Me,' a funny number, written by Pearley Whooost, our oboe player. We'll play Mr. Sousa for \$50 a side and meet him in Kansas City for the contest."

A line will likely be got on the ability of the Grand Saline Band next Wednesday night, when it plays the Waco Salvation Army organization of seven musicians for a silver cup.

Ben Lindsay lost an engagement on our own Western front yesterday and was fined \$500 for contempt of court. The Judge is not having much trouble showing the other Western front up.

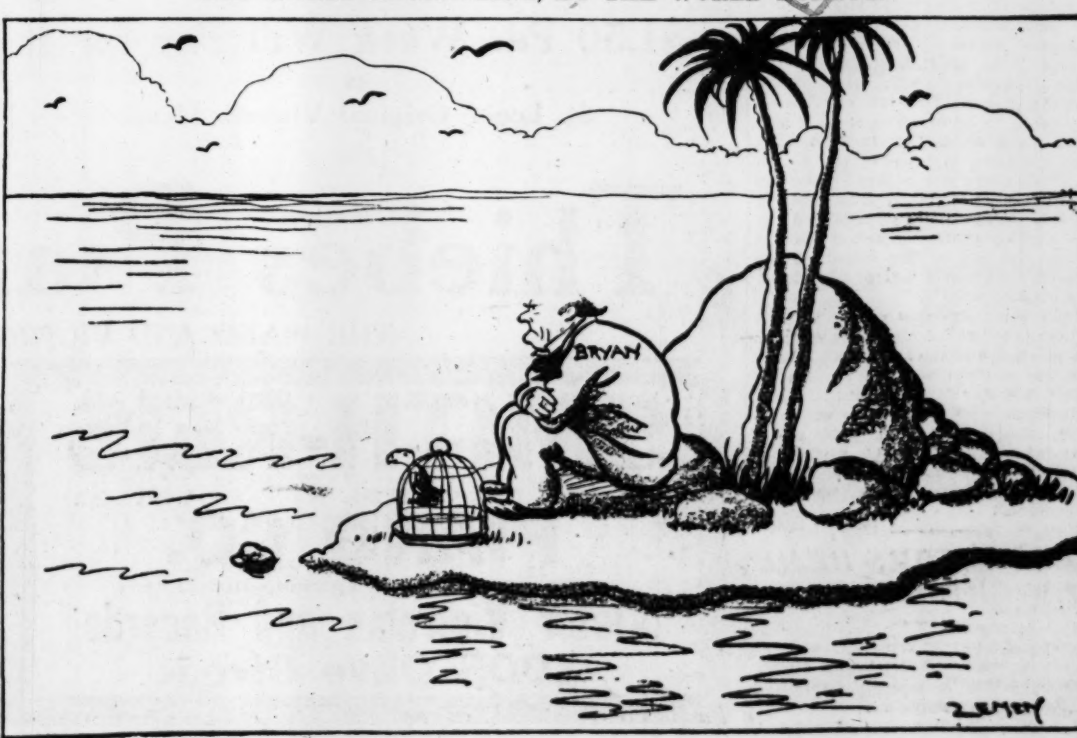
The captain of the steamer France, which was torpedoed in the Mediterranean, says the submarine which sank his ship came in close and took moving pictures of the crew and passengers getting into lifeboats before she sent the steamer down. Maybe this explains the mystery of that peculiar submarine's identity. The average sea captain is busy enough identifying the flags of all the belligerents without trying to learn those of the different film companies.

Arnold Bennett is the author of a new book 134 inches thick. Arnold may not win the Nobel prize for literature during his career, but he will easily make a record for tonnage before he gets done.

Does anyone know whether the increase in rates will enable the railroads to bring their local trains in from Twentieth street and start them from the Union Station?

The Germans have the British explaining, which is probably a well-defined stage of every war.

THE WORLD REGRETTING, BY THE WORLD FORGOT.



ANSWERS TO QUERIES

DATES.
SUBSCRIBER—George Jay Gould married Edith Kingston, Sep. 14, 1888.
MONROE—Nero born Dec. 15, A. D. 37; became Emperor at 17. Sentenced to death, he committed suicide, A. D. 68.
Sir Austen Henry Layard, 1817-1894; Sir George Biddell Airy, 1801-1892; Thomas Young, 1773-1829; Sir David Brewster, 1811-1883.

HEALTH HINTS.
ROS—Physician can test blood for acid.
MRS. C. S.—It is a delusion. Consult a physician.

OLD READER—For your stomach trouble, etc., there should be careful examination by a capable physician.
DR. A.—Chiropractors are not licensed in Missouri, but a registered physician may use the chiropractic system. There are about 400 practitioners, some of them in Canada.

THANK YOU—To overcome melancholy you must occupy your mind constantly with something useful. Especially, forget yourself. Get interested in something. Exercise all your muscles every day and get your liver right. Take good care of your stomach. Indulge in no excesses whatever.

ANDY—Night sweats: Brace the general health, live in the fresh air, practice deep breathing and eat wholesome food. Drink cold water (from a cup) before retiring. The simple remedy of placing a pan of water under the bed has ardent advocates, though we do not understand how it does its work. Sponging the body with warm water also been recommended. When the sweating follows fever it indicates tuberculosis. Sleep in a ventilated room.

WORRIED M.—A writer on rheumatism says: Watch your tonsils, liver and skin. Gargle your throat with borax and water; keep your skin in perfect condition; keep out of your stomach alcohol and indigestible stuff. Every man is a law unto himself in this matter of rheumatism. Find out the laws of living which belong to you, keep out of your system all drugs and "pain killers," then you will cease to worry and absence of worry is your cure. You will keep away disease. "Cures" are innumerable. Unfortunately, what helps one may have no effect on another.

FANNY—Patients with floating kidneys are said to have imaginary ailments. An operation is said to be rare. Eat no fruit with vegetables; no acid fruits with milk, no sugar with milk. Eat as little as will keep your strength. Chew thoroughly. Great variety. Be regular. One man cured himself by drinking freely of fresh buttermilk. Breathe deeply. In pure air and exercise all muscles. Diet of cheese and milk has been recommended. Perhaps the monotonous help. Nervousness sometimes causes belching. Shyness of stomach sometimes comes from indigestion.

LAW POINTS.

P. D. R.—You could make the runner of the chicken prove his claim to it.

WORRIED WIFE—See U. S. Attorney, custom house, Eighth and Olive, in regard to prosecution under the Mann act.

ANXIOUS—If anything can be done to C., the Prosecuting Attorney at Municipal Courts, 14th and Market, will tell you what it is.

H. S.—Single person dying without having made a will, estate is distributed among parents, brothers and sisters (or descendants of deceased relatives). (Kansas, Nebraska, Oklahoma and Texas are the only states having guaranty banks.)
ANNIE—Woman in Illinois marrying before divorced may be imprisoned five years and fined not more than \$1000. By Illinois law (1905), marriage is not permitted until one year after date of divorce, decree. Violation of this law is punishable by one to three years imprisonment, and the marriage is declared void.

MISCELLANEOUS.

IGNORANT—T. H. Hawaii Territory.

W. G.—Try book store catalogues and Public Library.

E. J. G.—The "human fly" who went up St. Louis was a living being.

ANXIOUS—Better buy your fence paint ready made at reliable paint store.
X. Y. Z.—Leave at the hotel for the flowers for your theatrical friends.

S. W. P.—Phone addressing companies in regard to the 2000 names you wish.

MISSOURI—We do not advise as to investments, more than to say "investigate thoroughly."

STUDENT—In the various statements in regard to Jephtha's daughter no name is given her.

R. S. V. P.—We don't think the "Tour of St. Louis" book would command a high price.

S.—You might try Schirmer, New York, or Ditson, Boston, for the out-of-print scholastic.

ANXIOUS—You will find revenue offices on second floor of Custom House, 8th and Olive.

H. T. C.—As you fail to state the object of your club, you might call it the Guess or the Mystery club.

A. B.—One in Missouri, speaking of going to Kansas City, would be supposed to mean the Missouri city.

THANKS—For way of naming fish and meat, try writing National Cannery Laboratory, Washington, D. C.

Cramps, Philadelphia, For River Ship Co., Quincy, Mass. Scott Iron Works, San Francisco, Scott U. S. ships.

KING K.—Call your male dancing club the "King of the Dance" (1 dance). Terpsichore was the Greek muse of dancing.

M. H.—It is sometimes said one is obsessed with an idea. With Spiritualists obsession means possession of one's consciousness by certain personality.

K. C. B.—World Almanac, this office or Public Library, has list of states with homestead lands. For full information write General Land Office, Washington, D. C.

M. L. H.—Wellington is in Cape Colony, 35 miles from Cape Town. St. Louis to New York, 1800 miles; New York to Cape Town, 12,315 miles (25 days from New York).

STENOGRAPHER—Try writing Eric Schuler, secretary Author's League of America, 34 W. 42d st., New York, who may be able to give you information in respect to prices for magazine serials.

BARTH—Lumber experts are felled by your query. "How long will it take a man to saw all the timber off 160 acres of land, working at it every day?" Two men are required at the saw, and some forests are denser than others. It would be impossible to elect a President by popular vote alone, as the Constitution provides that the election shall be by electors chosen in each state according to the number of its Senators and Representatives. In 1824 Hayes was made President without the popular vote, and in 1888 Benjamin Harrison was elected President. Amendments to the Constitution may be made: 1. By consent of two-thirds of both houses of Congress. 2. By convention called by Congress upon request of two-thirds of the states.

POTTO—Imitation ground glass: useful kind of varnish is made, known as Leon Vidal, which is excellent for producing an imitation of ground glass. The formula is: Sandarac, 15 parts; mastic, 4 parts; ether, 20 parts; benzol, 50 to 100 parts. A small amount of this steam will not destroy may be made in the following way: Put a piece of putty in muslin, twist the muslin tight and tie it into the shape of a pad; place the glass well first and then pat it over. The putty will excise sufficient stress to furnish the muslin to render the stain opaque. Let it dry and then varnish. If a pattern is required, cut out in paper as a stencil; place it so as not to slip and proceed as above, removing the stencil when finished. If there should be any objection to the existence of the glass spaces, cover with opaque varnish.

Sheer Luck

The story of how a young man in a mining district wins by stray chance the stake that enables him to return home to his sweetheart.

By Jessie E. Sherwin.

"To plunge into the wilderness and forget, or to ransack the mountains and gain great wealth, is the only thing, it seems, that will buy me my happiness!"

Thus mused Arden Valle, and he looked grim, desperate, determined all at once. His case was a prototype of the common variety of the poor, struggling man of genius, loving and beloved in turn by the daughter of a Croesus.

He was too honorable and sensible to ask pretty Bettina Royce to engage herself to him until he had made some kind of a hopeful financial start in life. Then, too, her father, while neither tyrannical nor snobbish, was a stickler for prudence and what was due his daughter socially.

There was only a mutual, tacit understanding between Bettina and Arden at their parting interview. He spoke of going forth to win the world. Her mute lips, framed to an expression of real mental pain, asked him that his love was her world, and she spoke of his return in a gladness, hopeful way that sent him on his journey happy.

"Mr. Royce made his fortune at mining in a day," ruminated Arden. "If I lay the mere formation for one in a year I will be thankful."

The district had seen some great "hands" of late—gold, always gold. Arden started for the Bonanza district on foot. It was 300 miles away, out of the reach of even good roads. He had little but his outfit and a few cherished belongings. There was his cornet, for he was something of a musician; his artist's case, a few favorite books.

It was at Cross Creek Gully that he found himself clear out of funds. Good fortune, however, stepped in and saved the day. A rugged, happy miner discovered him whistling away a lonely hour near the edge of a stream, discoursing some old familiar tunes on his cornet.

"The very thing, boss!" he hailed Arden heartily. "See here, and he drew out a buckskin bag. It was filled with nuggets.

"How much to give us some patriotic and dance music up at the Gulch?" was his next ready challenge.

"I'll do it for a good meal," replied Arden accommodatingly.

"But you won't!" dissented his new acquaintance. "Here, and here, and there!" and Arden's eyes sparkled as he nearly three ounces of dust was poured into his palm.

A Commission to Paint.

THEY meant new life for the puny wanderer; they helped him on his way as far as Quartzville. Here a frontier circus was in progress. Mixing with the crowd, Arden was robbed of what was left of his "stake."

His funds ran so low that he repainted a tavern sign for \$5. One of the habitués of the place came across him thus engaged. He was a rough card-playing miner, and was promptly seized with an idea.

"Can you paint pictures, too?" he inquired.

"You mean portraits?" asked Arden.

"That's it. I want one done. When you're through with that sign, come inside and ask for Broncho Jim."

This Arden did. He found his prospective client in a dully hilarious state, with a wealth of poker chips at his elbow. Broncho Jim passed him over a mint slab, validated for half a hundred.

"Double that when you get her done," was the announcement.

"Her—whom?" asked Arden wonderingly.

"Zlatina, down at the circus. She's no use for me, but I've hit the fancy that I'd like her picture. Make it big, and lots of color in it. Get me?"

"I think I do," assented Arden, and

set out on his queer mission. Zlatina was a popular name at the little settlement just then. She was a half-breed, graceful as a gazelle, with great black eyes and a willowy form. She was the star of the show, and her appearance in a sketch bringing in scouts, cowboys and the usual personnel of a frontier drama, carried the very poor rest of the daily theatrical entertainment.

She had been teased and cheered and made love to by the rude rustlers and miners, but she was as stone, as ice to fulsome praise, and in her forbidding eyes there was ever a far-away glow, as though her thoughts were with some dusky lover she could not forget.

Broncho Jim Lights Out.

ARSEN sketched Zlatina, unnoticed, in one of her most graceful poses. He made a study for two days of his little obscure room at the settlement tavern. The canvas finished, was a somewhat florid, but very recognizable portrait of the star of the circus. Arden went after Jim. He had not mounted the canvas, but carried it on a roller. He sought out Jim at his usual haunts.

"He's gone," was the report he got from the proprietor of the principal gaming place of the settlement.

"Gone, when? Where?" questioned the disappointed Arden.

"Last night—cleaned out, and made for the mines to get a new stake."

Arden took the portrait back to his room, and showed it in his kit, and forgot all about it.

He had money enough as it was to buy a horse, but he made the mistake of starting off on the trail alone and unguided. He blundered in following it, got lost in a desolate wilderness. For six days he had no sight of habitation or human being. The morning of the seventh he was awakened from a sound sleep on a bed of green in a ravine to the accompaniment of savage yells.

Half-dressed dusky warriors surrounded him. Their fierceness was emphasized by the way in which they brandished knives, rifles and tomahawks at him. His horse had been appropriated by one savage, another was ransacking his traveling kit.

His desperado passed around to his comrades article after article. Finally he came to the rolled-up portrait. It came loose in his hand, and he stared at the picture of the half-breed circus star.

Arden had noticed a stalwart young brave who seemed to be the leader of the party. He had a certain princely and dignified mien and took no part in the pilfering going on. Just at this juncture, however, as two of the savages, in turn, with mocking laughter, drew each a knife and poised it for a fling, as if to see how near they could scrape the ear of the bound and helpless Arden, this young Indian rushed forward with a tumultuous cry.

Back to Bettina.

HE halted the two sanguinary braves with a gesture. He snatched the portrait from the hand of the man who held it. He stared at it, his face betraying the most sentient emotions.

He waved his companions away, he relaxed the bonds securing Arden. Then in an excited pantomime he pointed at the portrait, he crossed his hands upon his heart as though seeking to express a mute vivid adoration for the fair half-breed girl it counterfeited.

Not a word of his jargon could Arden understand, but he guessed out the riddle from the expressive pantomime of the young brave. Zlatina had been his love, they had quarreled, he had sought her vainly.

If Arden could lead him to the vanished girl he should be enriched, and the young chief led him from the spot into a deep cave and showed him a vast treasure house of gold gathered up by the tribe for their leader. He summoned a member of his tribe. A horse was brought. Two stout buckskin bags were filled with gold and slung across the back of the animal.

"Zlatina," he said simply, indicating that if Arden should lead him to his lost love, he should be enriched. A horse was brought. Two stout buckskin bags were filled with gold and slung across the back of the animal.

Arden Valle's eyes brightened—they expressed more than hope and courage—assurance positive. For to find Zlatina was an easy task, and the reward for the same meant the start of a fortune, and, estimated, Bettina.

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China Likes American Milk

BY teaching the Chinese to use condensed milk Americans have conquered a new market of vast proportions.

China has 421,000,000 people, or more than four times the population of the United States. Almost the sole beverage is tea, and this is taken in great quantities at every meal.

Fashions, If They Wish to Endure, Must Never Violate the Eternal Laws of Harmony in Lines and Colors.

MOST of us know when we like a dress and when we do not, but few of us appreciate the reason.

As a matter of fact, there are certain laws of harmony which were fixed before womanhood was born. They are a part of the law that rules the rolling of the sun in the heavens and the coloring of the tiniest flowers on earth.

The women of the Orient discovered these simple laws and had faith in them, and clung to them. The result was a beautiful simplicity of line which we have never been able to improve upon.

Invariably the well dressed woman of today is the one who appreciates this secret of simplicity, whose eternal rhythm and harmony reflects all things beautiful.

On the other hand there are attempts at the bizarre in fashions, as in everything else, born of minds at odds with the best things of life. But these fashions never last, because anything that excites a sense of the absurd or shocks the refined sensibilities cannot endure.

FOR afternoon wear what more delightful frock could one desire than what is pictured here. The simple handling of the material makes the design especially suitable for home development. At the left is suggested the use of taffeta combined with chiffon. In dark mulberry red, a full silk foundation, skirt apparently feels incapable of supplying the required fullness for skirts nowadays, and adds unto itself a full tunic of self-color chiffon.

At the back, however, the fullness of the tunic gives out, and the skirt is left on its own resources. Gathering itself no more into three colorings, the effect is charming. With the bodice cut rather snug, the sleeves are allowed to flare, and, being of chiffon, are gathered from a drop armhole. Below the elbow a dull blue velvet ribbon confines the fullness and ties in a bow outside. A bit of the same contrasting color is seen in the plaid velvet which forms the girde sash. If perchance in purchasing the plaid velvet the desired line of color cannot be found, it may be added by means of a velvet ribbon sewed along side of some other color in the plaid.

An edge of pretty cream lace laid inside the pointed yoke gives the finishing touch to this frock. The model at the right shows an attractive use of velvet ribbon on a taffeta frock which may be developed in any color desired.

Remember This When You Commence to Make Fudge

STIRRING while hot makes the fudge liable to grain. You can be more certain of making soft, creamy fudge if you let it heat gradually and do not stir after it begins to boil. Some people even wait, before beating the fudge, until it is cold, so as to make sure that it will not become grainy.

If you wish your fudge to be rich, use chocolate instead of cocoa. Two squares of chocolate, melted over hot water, take the place of three tablespoons of cocoa. Do not add nuts while the fudge is hot. The heat will melt the nuts and takes part of their flavor away.

Never add vanilla until after the fudge has been removed from the fire, as the flavor of the vanilla goes off in the steam if it is allowed to boil.

Always buy a good brand of vanilla. The cheap bottles of vanilla do not have the flavor of real vanilla and are more expensive in the end, because you have to use twice as much in order to get the same flavor that you get from a small amount of good vanilla.

Impressment—the seizing of men for the British navy—was practiced for centuries, and did not become obsolete till just before the Crimean War. Sometimes the crews were taken from foreign ships on the high seas.

INDOOR LIFE MAKES FAT

TAKE OIL OF KOREN TO KEEP WEIGHT DOWN, OR TO REDUCE SUPERFLUOUS FAT.

People who are confined within doors and who are deprived of fresh, invigorating air and exercise must take precaution to guard against over-strength, as fat acquired by indoor life is unhealthy and a danger to the vital organs of the body. Lack of exercise in the fresh air weakens the oxygen-carrying power of the blood, so that it is unable to produce strong muscles and vitality and the formation of unhealthy and unhealthy fat is the result.

If you are 15 or 20 pounds above normal weight you are daily drawing on your reserve strength and are constantly lowering your vitality by carrying this excess burden. Any person who is satisfied in their own mind that they are too stout should go to a good druggist and get a box of oil of korein capsules and take one after each meal and one just before retiring at night.

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The Shoemaker and the Elf

By Mrs. F. A. Walker.

ONCE upon a time, in a small village, there lived a very poor shoemaker. His wife, who was a cross and stingy woman, insisted that her husband was kept poor on account of his generosity, and in consequence of this she made his life miserable by her constant scolding.

The shoemaker, whose name was Peter, felt very sad. He was tender-hearted and his wife's scoldings made him miserable.

That night he sat late before the dying embers in the big chimney. His wife had gone to bed first, and he was all alone in the kitchen. Not a sound was heard but the rain pelted on the pitched roof. Out into the silence sounded a faint tap on the door.

"Come in," said Peter, kindly. The door opened and in tripped a tiny elf. His brown robe hung wet about his drenched limbs.

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With the gems sold and a huge sack of gold received in payment, Peter bought a nice house, plenty of cattle and kept open house for those in trouble. And his wife was very happy, too, so happy that she never again spoke a cross word to her husband, and the pair lived contentedly to a good, old age.

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According to Dr. E. K. Smith of Boston, girl babies, rather than boys, are likely to be born to parents having comparatively great vitality. The number of boy babies born following a great war exceeds the number of girl babies, because of the weakened and underfed condition of the parents at that time.

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Occasionally neuralgia is the result of an external injury or from pressure of some misplaced bone or ligament upon the nerve.

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The parts of the human system which are overworked or much used demand the most blood, and the heart is, of course, stimulated to work with greater effort to send the blood where it is most needed to meet this extra demand. It should, therefore, be evident that this tendency of the blood to go direct to the parts most used makes it possible for each individual to improve her own development, growth and health, regardless of heredity, providing, of

course, that your mind and surroundings shall be in perfect accord with your desires. Hence if your brain is overworked your nerves will suffer from malnutrition. The parts of the body which are overworked take from the rest of the system the nutriment which belongs to it, and these parts which are not sufficiently used suffer in consequence from malnutrition and lack of food. This causes overdevelopment of the parts which are most used, and weak and underfed.

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The Jarr Family

Written for the Post-Dispatch
By Roy L. McCardell

Mr. Jarr Learns Something of the
Art of Dress and Address
Among Women.

"HOW do you like my new dress?" asked Mrs. Jarr, as she made her appearance from her boudoir with the new gown just home from the dress-maker's.

"S nice," mumbled Mr. Jarr. "Oh, it's alright!" he added with more animation, noting that Mrs. Jarr was regarding him indignantly.

"Is that all you got to say?" asked Mrs. Jarr petulantly. "If it was a new dress on any other woman you'd be interested enough."

"Not at all, my dear!" rejoined Mr. Jarr hastily. "I'm very much interested. It looks fine. It's very becoming to you, I'm sure."

But it was too late. A tear was in Mrs. Jarr's eye; her lip trembled.

"You never take any notice of what I wear," she declared plaintively.

"Though that is no wonder, as I seldom have a new tag to my back. But on the rare occasion when I do get a new dress you don't take any interest."

"Why, yes, I do," Mr. Jarr declared. "You look fine; and I'm greatly pleased and interested."

"Then you conceal both your interest and pleasure very successfully!" cried Mrs. Jarr.

"But I think it looks fine," Mr. Jarr declared. "Really, I think you look beautiful in it."

At this Mrs. Jarr became mollified and stalked past Mr. Jarr to give him the benefit of views fore and aft.

"It's great!" cried the villain hypocrite, feigning vast admiration to keep peace in the family. "Turn around! It looks nice in the back, too," he added, as though this were an important discovery.

"Of course it does. There is where a dress gets its character," declared Mrs. Jarr, forgetting she had made accusations of his husbandly indifference.

The wretched dissembler drew in a deep breath, as though the subject was beyond words.

"Yes," Mrs. Jarr went on, "if you will notice when a woman is wearing a striking dress, no other women she meets will let on they care what she is wearing. They pass her almost without looking at her, but they turn around and take in the back of the dress and see how it is made and how the skirt hangs and how it fits. Most any dress will look well from the front, but when you see it from the back you can tell whether it is well made or not."

"Sure! I've noticed that," said Mr. Jarr.

"Then you've noticed too much!" snapped Mrs. Jarr, her suspicious rising again. "It isn't your place to be looking after women, to see how their clothes fit and notice what they are wearing."

"Of course not," said Mr. Jarr meekly. "But I've always noticed that women look around at each other after they have passed. Even after one woman has cut another one dead, she will do that."

"Well, you can't blame them," said

MUTT and JEFF—Mutt Made a Mess Out of the Mess Room!

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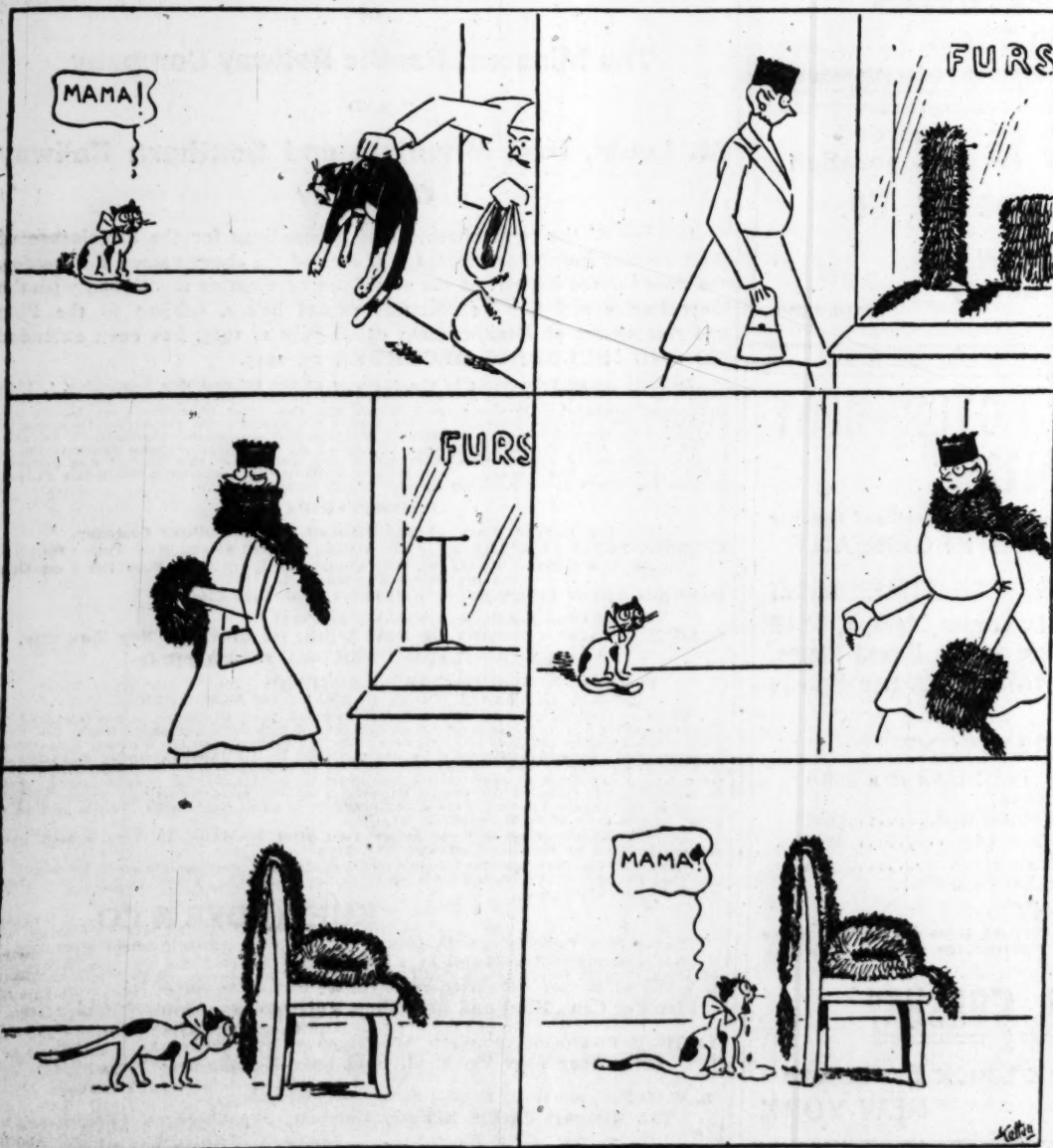
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Drawn for the Post-Dispatch
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And the Cat Came Back

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And the Mince Pie

LITTLE JACKIE came down to breakfast with a tired look in his eyes.

"What's the matter, sonny?" asked his mother, as he dropped in his chair.

"Oh, mummy," sighed the kid, "I'd such a terrible dream last night! I dreamed I was having a fight with a great big bear, bigger than this house, and he tore me almost in little bits. Does a horrid dream like that mean anything?"

"It does, sonny," said mother, in a voice of ominous calm, as she reached for her slipper. "It means that I know what became of that apple tart I couldn't find last night. Come here!"

Just the Job for Him.

HE was the slowest boy on earth and had been sacked at three places in two weeks, so his parents had apprenticed him to a naturalist.

But even he found him slow. It took him two hours to give the canaries their seed, three to stick a pin through the head of a dead butterfly and four to pick a convolvulus. The only point about him was that he was willing.

"And what," he asked, having spent a whole afternoon changing the gold fishes' water, "shall I do now, sir?"

The naturalist ran his fingers through his locks.

"Well, Robert," he replied at length, "I think you might take the tortoise out for a run."

A Husband's Way.

WIFE (angrily): And am I never to have my own way about anything?

Husband (calmly): Certainly, my dear. When we agree you may have your way, but when we disagree I'll have mine.

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In the rear he encountered a tough-looking man trying to open a door that led into the back yard. The burglar had successfully unlocked the door and was pulling at it with all his strength. The doctor, seeing the robber's predicament, called to him:

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With the well-meaning acquaintances who tell us we are burning the wrong kind of coal oil in our furnace and explain how we can save three tons by using their methods.

With the gink who is always finding some place where he can buy his winter suits and overcoats for much less than we paid for ours.

With the football player who explains in about 10,000 words how his team got beat last Saturday.

With the auto agent who describes the machine he is selling as the only one on the market.

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